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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Speaker Cannon announced the committees of the House yesterday; the numerical representation accorded the minority on important committees was sharply criticised by Democrats. —— A meeting of cotton mill men will be held in Charlotte Tuesday to consider the advisability of curtailing production. —— The extra session of the 58th Congress will expire by constitutional limitation Monday, when the regular session will begin. —— Negro lynched near Tampa, Fla., for attempted assault. —— E. L. Wentz, the missing millionaire, has been found, demented. —— Torpedo boat Moocasin is still ashore near Currituck, N. C. —— Tony Bond was fatally shot while hunting near Whaleyville, Va. —— Prof. Langley's airship was prepared yesterday for another experiment, but unfavorable wind prevented. —— Secretary Wilson denies that advance information of the government crop report was made public. —— A plot against the life of the commander-in-chief of the forces of the republic of Panama has been discovered. —— Senator Hanna says there is no misunderstanding between himself and President Roosevelt and no break in their relations. —— —— New York markets: Money on call nominal; no loans transactions; cotton quiet at 12.65c; flour was quiet and held higher; wheat—spot quiet; No. 2 red 90½c; corn—spot quiet, No. 2 51c; oats—spot quiet, No. 2 41½c; rosin quiet; strained common to good $3.45; spirits turpentine quiet at 59 @59½.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEPT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 5.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 43 degrees; 8 P. M., 54 degrees; maximum, 59 degrees; minimum, 35 degrees; mean, 47 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, .53.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—For North Carolina: Fair and colder Sunday, preceded by rain on the coast; Monday, fair, with fresh northwest to north winds.

Port Almanac—December 6.

Sun Rises	6.56 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.46 P. M.
Day's Length	9 h. 50 M.
High Water at Southport	8.47 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	11.17 A. M.

The latest quotation from General Reyes at Washington is "Nothing Doing." There are no bidders on his canal gift proposition.

They call it the "cotton pit" on the New York Cotton Exchange, but the wild speculators there don't have much pit-ty on each other.

As the Winter is very severe in Manchuria now Russia will go into winterquarters and fix another date for withdrawing—from winterquarters.

At Washington on Friday Speaker Cannon had to fire Herman J. Schulteis, chairman of the national legislative committee of the Knights of Labor. Is this the first gun in the national campaign?

The STAR tenders its greetings to Mr. Wade H. Harriss, who has become editor of the Charlotte *Chronicle*. He is an old hand at the bellows, and knows the newspaper business from page 1 to page 8.

Judging from the trial of the postoffice department grafters at Baltimore, on Friday, the Washington administration will not fill many cells in the national penitentiaries before the campaign year opens up.

Once when a province was seized and added to the Indian Empire, the British General who did the land grabbing justified it by saying: "It was a necessary and salutary piece of rascality." If Roosevelt is looking for an excuse or reason for the Panama canal scoop, the STAR tenders him this good one.

The Richmond papers have been excoriating the Western Union Telegraph Company for employing negro messengers in that city. If the white messengers in Wilmington had continued their strike and their places had been filled by negroes, public indignation would have forced the withdrawal of the latter within twenty-four hours.

At Charlotte, N. C., next Tuesday the cotton manufacturers of the South will have a meeting to agree upon plans of curtailing the output of the mills. The STAR's dispatches yesterday from Boston state that "a wide curtailing of production by cotton mills in the United States will be necessary on account of the great cost of the raw material." The situation in England is equally bad.

Before the Committee on Military Affairs at Washington, General Brooke testified that Gen. Leonard Wood had a pull with the Santiago papers and induced them to attack Brooke's administration. Brooke wanted to stifle the papers by suppressing them. It looks as if both Brooke and Wood ought to have been at home.

XMAS TIMES FOR POLICE.

Number of Arrests and Court Appearances Increasing With Approach of Yuletide Festivities—Doings Yesterday.

Business in police circles is "picking up" with the advent of the yuletide holiday. Yesterday the Mayor had a number of offenders at the bar of penitence. James P. Davis, a colored youth, who prematurely used fireworks on Bladen street, was let off with a sound thrashing by his mother. Fred Shafer and Geo. Wood, two white vagrants "picked up" the night before by Officer C. E. Wood, were sent out to the rock pile for 30 days each, and Tom Wilson, the middle-aged colored man, whom Policeman H. P. Merritt had to club into submission at Third and Harnett streets, was fined $10 and costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct and was required to buy the officer a new overcoat to replace one he had torn. Wilson planked over $24.70 and nursed a badly swollen head as the result of his encounter with Policeman Merritt.

Early yesterday afternoon three colored "bullies" sauntered up Front street in a maudlin condition, forcing people to step out of their paths to avoid them. Jim Teachey, of the trio, first came to grief and was sent up to the police station by Gateman E. Piner, of the A. C. L., and Elliott Williams and Wm. Lockart followed in quick succession, having been arrested by Policeman E. R. Chadwick at Front and Red Cross streets.

Policeman Chadwick about an hour later arrested Melvin Peters, a colored sailor, who was drunk and on his way to the Marine Hospital. He had a razor on his person, and will have to answer the double charge of being drunk and carrying a concealed weapon.

A dozen other arrests of more or less consequence were made during the remainder of the afternoon and last night.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The usual first-Monday meetings will be held to-morrow.

— The New York steamer passed out at Southport at 8 P. M. yesterday.

— The colored teachers of the county will meet Saturday at the Court House at 10 A. M.

— Tasca's Band is reported to have given up its Southern tour and returned North from Florence Friday.

— A false alarm of fire was sent in to the department from box 47, Third and Wooster streets, at 9:17 o'clock last night.

— A boy to go on errands and make himself generally useful is wanted at the STAR office. Apply to Foreman of Job Department at 7 o'clock Monday morning.

— Parker, the Furniture Man, was too busy to write an ad. yesterday, but his old one is commended to the re-reading of those in the market for anything in his line.

— By deed filed for record yesterday J. S. Sneeden transferred to Varney M. Gilbert and wife, for $50, lot 33x66 feet in size, on Dawson street, 132 feet from Second street.

— "Civic Righteousness" will be Hon. R. B. Glenn's subject at the mass meeting for men at the Y. M. C. A. at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The music will be by a lady quartette.

— Campbell Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., will confer the Royal Purple degree on several candidates Monday night after which refreshments will be served. Patriarchs are invited.

— Rev. J. W. S. Harvey, pastor of the Second Advent church, has recovered from his recent illness and will occupy his pulpit as usual, morning and evening, to-day.

— An enterprising citizen of Greensboro has "rigged up" a portable steam engine and saw and goes all over town sawing up wood for fifty cents a cord. Wouldn't something "just like that" pay in Wilmington?

— Two hundred and fifty quail on a single string were displayed in front of the Dixie Cafe yesterday. They were shipped to Wilmington from Mt. Airy and are among the finest seen here this season.

— Dispatches from Baltimore state that Mr. John R. Morris, the well known travelling man of Goldsboro, is dying in the University of Maryland Hospital in Baltimore. Blood-poisoning following an operation for diabetes is the trouble.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Cleanest—Cook with gas.
Clyde Line—Sailing days.
Wm. E. Worth & Co.—Coal.
Geo. O Gaylord—Santa Claus.
N. F. Parker—A card of thanks.
F. E. Hasbagen Co.—Xmas goods.
Wilmington Grocery Co.—Special
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Holiday goods.
City Livery Co.—Baggage transfer.
A. David Co.—We'll fix you right.
Academy of Music—Mildred and Rouclere.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Notice—For sale.
Sisters—In despair.
Dr. Dreher—Notice.
Berkshires—For sale.
Marry—And prosper.
Wanted—Sales ladies.
Collie Pups—For sale.
For Sale—Kiln dried blocks.
Furnished Rooms—For rent.
J. H. Colvin—For sale or exchange.

Call at A. D. Brown's this week and see his new Goods. †

HON. ROBT. B. GLENN.

Distinguished North Carolinian Spoke to Allied Trades Unions Last Night.

IN PYTHIAN CASTLE HALL.

Glories of the Nation and Some of the Dangers Confronting It—Other Speeches to be Made in Wilmington To-day—Mayor Springer.

Hon. R. B. Glenn, of Winston, one of the foremost public speakers and a leading lawyer of North Carolina, arrived in the city yesterday from Maxton, where on Friday night he delivered an address at a big military fete given by the Maxton Guards. Mr. Glenn is being entertained at The Orion by the Central Labor Committee, the Wilmington Lodge of Elks and the Young Men's Christian Association, upon the joint invitation of which he came to Wilmington. Mr. Glenn spoke to a large gathering of members of the allied trades unions of the city and their friends in Pythian Castle Hall last night and this afternoon at 3 o'clock will deliver the annual memorial address to the Elks and at 5 o'clock he will be the speaker at the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Glenn is being cordially received by his friends here and is being shown much attention by his admirers.

The hour for the speaking in Pythian Castle Hall last night was 7:30 o'clock but owing to the delay of the people in assembling, it was shortly after 8 o'clock when President J. G. Smith, of the Carpenters' and Joiners' Union, called the meeting to order. He spoke of the great pleasure it gave him to refer to the presence of the distinguished visitor, and he asked Mayor Springer to introduce him. Mayor Springer thanked the trades councils for the invitation to be present and the privilege of introducing to them so distinguished a son of Carolina as Hon. R. B. Glenn, a man always faithful to every duty; one in full sympathy with the working man, and a man whose clarion call had been heard from the mountains to the sea.

Mr. Glenn began a fine speech of an hour and a half with thanks to Mayor Springer for his complimentary introduction and a witty reference to the speech he had just made to the military at Maxton and the three he was expected to make in rapid-fire order in Wilmington. His coming here, he said, was with a feeling of mingled perplexity and pleasure. Perplexity because he had a variety of things to talk about in Wilmington, and his audience need not be surprised if, from his four speeches, he gave a military command in one breath, sounded a funeral note in another and wound up by singing the long metre doxology.

Coming to the gist of his speech he said he proposed to make those before him proud of the nation in which we live and then to point out some of the dangers which beset us as a people. Standing at the beginning of the 20th century and casting an eye backward, one was awed with the progress of it all. In discovery, invention, medicine, literature, history, commerce, music, civilization, poetry—the achievements of man have made it scarcely possible to tell where nature ends and art begins. The great prophecy of the Book of Books he thought was about to be fulfilled, when man clothed in the image of his Maker is but a little lower than the angels. Looking into the future, he pointed out that this generation will see the navigation of the air; electricity will turn night into day and communication will be established between the planets. Young men should rise to the great responsibilities that man and God have placed before them. The speaker then spoke of the vast resources of the United States and declared it to be the grandest nation under the power of God and destined to become grander yet. It behooved the laboring man to put his shoulder to the wheel and assist in the onward movement.

Before the war the South was an agricultural people; in patriotism, statesmanship and eloquence, the South stood in the lead. "Cotton is King" and "the South is in the Saddle" were maxims of those days. The speaker then drew a vivid word picture of the old Southern plantations, the advent of the war cloud, the culmination of the last struggle, paid an eloquent tribute to the North Carolina soldier and spoke of the changed conditions upon the cessation of hostilities. The South was no longer an agricultural people. Her timber lands have been invaded by railroads, factories have sprung up and it has become the industrial South. It behooves the people to prepare themselves to meet the changed conditions The Panama canal was referred to in terms of enthusiasm as a boon for the South.

In pointing out the dangers to the country, Mr. Glenn spoke of the differences between capital and labor; counselled the exercise of moderation by both parties and the recommended the establishment of a national board of arbitration in the interest of peace. Cursed be the man who seeks to bring any clash between labor and capital. They should be twin sisters; neither one to oppress the other. Concentration of the nation's wealth in the hands of a few was pointed out as another danger, and the tendency to consolidation and monopoly was deplored. Ignorance was spoken of as another danger, and technical education was urged. As between whites and blacks Mr. Glenn said he was in favor of educating the negro along industrial lines, so that he could make capital for himself and help the whites to pay a part of the school tax. He did not object to the sometimes derisive term of "hewers of wood and drawers of water." What the people wanted was not so much education for the so-called "learned professions," but education that would teach the boy to "hew the log better and draw the water quicker." Mr. Glenn spoke in favor of organized labor, and extolled the value of organization to any body of men. The object of unionism should be to build up, not to tear down; to bring peace, and not war.

The speaker closed with only a modest reference to his candidacy for gubernatorial honors, and was congratulated upon his conclusion by many.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

News of a Day in the Markets and Shipping—British Steamers.

Cotton receipts yesterday were 1,538 bales against 1,474 same day last year. The quotations remained steady at 13c. for middling.

The river steamer "City of Fayetteville" arrived at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and cleared for the return to Fayetteville last night.

Capts. F. B. Rice and J. T. Borden, U. S. steamboat inspectors, were here yesterday and inspected the big four-masted schooner "Robert H. Stevenson," Capt. J. E. Higbee.

British steamer "Anglo Saxon," hence for Bremen, with cargo of 17,000 bales of cotton, passed out at Southport at 11 A. M. yesterday. She passed down the river without difficulty, drawing 21 feet of water.

British steamer "Scarthoe," Capt. Hall, arrived yesterday from New York for cargo of cotton from Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

British schooner "City of Nassau," which brought a cargo of fruit from the West Indies, completed cargo of 150,000 shingles at the yards of J. A. Springer & Co. and cleared in the afternoon for Kingston, Jamaica.

IN JUSTICE FOWLER'S COURT.

Thanksgiving Row in the Country—A Case of Embezzlement.

Justice Fowler investigated in his court yesterday a row which occurred between negroes at the township house in Masonboro on Thanksgiving afternoon. Wm. H. Jones, colored, was charged with an assault with a deadly weapon upon Chas. Monroe, colored, and carrying a concealed weapon. The evidence showed that Jones had only taken a gun away from Monroe with which he was about to be shot and that a boy had brought him a pistol with which to defend himself, consequently he was found not guilty. Monroe was then charged with an assault and battery and an assault with a deadly weapon. Upon the usual affidavit the case was removed to Justice Wm. Sheehan and set for a hearing Monday at noon.

Henry Brock Walker, drayman for Mr. Jos. H. Walters, was charged with the embezzlement of something over $6 received in payment of a bill which he had been entrusted to collect, but the case was left open for additional witnesses. Walker admits having collected the money, but says he lost it.

ADJACENT SUPERIOR COURTS.

Judge Brown on His Way to Onslow. Special Term in Sampson.

Judge G. H. Brown, Jr., came up yesterday morning from Orion plantation, where since the adjournment of Superior Court here he has been enjoying a few days hunting with friends. He left in the afternoon for Jacksonville, N. C., to preside over this week's term of Onslow Superior Court. Upon his arrival in the city he was sought out by attorneys in the Holly Shelter case, which was argued in chambers before him last week, but Judge Brown informed them that he would send down his decision in the matter to-morrow or next day.

A number of Wilmington attorneys will go up to Clinton to-morrow to attend a special term of Sampson Superior Court, which has been authorized by the Governor to clear the docket there of a number of civil and criminal matters which have been hanging fire for some time. Judge W. A. Hoke, of Lincolnton, will preside.

Death of a Young Wife.

Friends of Policeman J. F. Smith will sympathize with him deeply in the death of his wife, Mrs. Virginia R. Smith, whose death occurred at the family home, No. 1001 Dawson street, at noon yesterday. Mrs. Smith was 29 years of age and had been a patient sufferer for some time. She leaves besides her devoted husband several little children, all of whom have the sympathy of the community. The funeral will be held from the late residence at 3 o'clock this afternoon and the remains will be laid to rest in Bellevue.

Position in Savannah.

Mr. Ernest M. Brogden, a popular young Goldsborean who was employed by the A. C. L. in this city for several years and later graduated with honor in stenography and typewriting from the great business college at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., arrived in the city last night on his way to Savannah, Ga., where he will take an important position in the U. S. Engineer's office. Mr. Brogden's hosts of friends in Wilmington wish for him unbounded success in his Georgia field.

Coats, Furs and Underwear for inspection this week at A. D. Brown's. ‡

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Dispensary Advocates Have Secured Required Number of Signatures for Election.

A POSITIVE ANNOUNCEMENT.

Nothing Will be Done Until After Holidays and Liquor Dealers Will Get Another Term—No High-License Compromise—Manager.

Positive announcement was made to a representative of this paper last night that considerably more than the required number of signatures to a petition asking for the calling of a dispensary election in Wilmington had been secured by the Anti-Saloon League. The petition, however, will not be presented to the Board of Aldermen for action until after the holidays when it is proposed to inaugurate the campaign against saloons in earnest. There was a report on the streets yesterday that the petition would be submitted to the Aldermen to-morrow night, but such will not be the case, according to a dispensary leader with whom a reporter for this paper talked last night.

The Watts' law under which it is proposed to call the election, requires a petition signed by one-third of the registered voters of the city, but the anti-saloon people are said to have taken no chances and gone beyond that limit by one hundred or more. The names of several voters, who had not registered for the municipal election, were previously erased when it became known that only registered voters could sign, and it was in anticipation of future contingencies of that character that the additional number of signers was secured.

Some time ago it was sought by some to effect a high license compromise for the present, but since active steps had already been taken by the anti-saloon people to call an election upon a dispensary, the liquor men are reported to have refused to concur in any such agreement, saying they were willing to meet the dispensary issue on its merits and abide a decision of the people at the polls. Such a manifestation of confidence on both sides, augurs a bitter fight and one which will likely render the opening months of the new year fully as lively as during the most intense political campaigns.

License of all liquor dealers expire January 1st and will be renewed then for six months; so that, in any event, the dispensary cannot be established here until after July 1st, 1904, the expiration of the renewed licenses. The anti-saloon member, who gave the facts above, so stated last night. A prominent young Wilmington lawyer, who was very active in securing signatures to the dispensary petitions, has been engaged to manage the campaign for the Anti-Saloon League.

STRONG VAUDEVILLE OFFERING

Mildred and Rouclere at Academy Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights.

Three nights the present week and Saturday matinee the offering at the Academy of Music will be Mildred and Rouclere in a fine vaudeville bill. Of the performance by the company, the Raleigh *News and Observer* of last Tuesday said:

"Mildred and Rouclere surely can entertain. They do not belie their characterization as 'superb entertainers.' But they deserved a bigger house than they had last night at the Moumental. They give a good, clean, up-to date show that lacks not in excellence and merit. They should have a larger crowd to-night.

Rouclere, as the adept Manipulator, introduced some original novelties that were much appreciated by the audience last night. The Colonial Trio, Sherwood, Fox and Warda, in pantomine, furnished a glimpse into other days. The costumes were very rich. Mildred gave a really wonderful exhibition of mind reading and hypnotic suggestion. Cain and Hunter's musical act was heartily enjoyed. Belmont's electrical fire dance was a feature and made decided hit. The effects were beautiful, when the flags of the different nations were reflected upon the dancer, while the orchestra played the corresponding national airs."

City Editor of the Messenger.

Mr. James H. Cowan, city editor of the *Messenger*, whose resignation, has been tendered since September, will sever his connection with that paper to-morrow and will be succeeded by Mr. W. P. Mangum Turner, of Greensboro, who has for some time been city editor of Mr. R. W. Haywood's paper, the *Telegram*. Mr. Cowan resigns to devote his entire time to his duties as one of the lessees and managers of the Academy of Music and also to other theatrical business which he has in contemplation. Mr. Cowan is one of the cleverest of the clever in the Wilmington newspaper field and his hosts of friends will regret to have him leave the circle.

Her Age 105 Years.

"Aunt" Dolly Larkins, an old colored woman whose age is given on the death certificate at 105 years of age, died last week at her home in Hutaff's alley. She was born in Wilmington and reared here, according to statements of her descendants, which, if correct, made her for long years the oldest native inhabitant of the county.

A. D. Brown, Agent for Roker's Perfumes. †

Join the crowd to-morrow at Kress; special attractions in fancy China at low prices. ‡

PYTHIAN DISTRICT MEETING.

Knights Will Journey to Whiteville on a Special Train Tuesday Evening. Meeting To-morrow Night.

Pythian interest in Wilmington at present and for ten days past has been centred in the District Meeting, which will be held at Whiteville on Tuesday night of this week. The attendance promises to be large and the entertainment afforded by the Whiteville Pythians will be royal. The four lodges in Wilmington and those at Clarkton and Chadbourn will send large delegations. The Knights of this city have chartered a special train, which will leave Wilmington at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening and return at the pleasure of the party on board.

The final meeting of Wilmington Pythians for arrangements will be held with Stonewall Lodge to-morrow night and all who expect to secure accommodations aboard the "Flyer" are asked to secure their tickets at that meeting, as the number is limited. Some of the features of enjoyment at the "deestrikt meetin'" will be a big barbecue, oyster roast and an exemplification of the secret work of the order by a select team from this city.

COTTON MILLS CURTAILING

View of the Market Situation from a Careful Study of the Conditions.

[Communicated.]

It has been announced that a convention will be held by the Southern cotton mills looking to the curtailment of output until the next crop of cotton is available. It is understood that curtailment is made necessary by reason of the fact that mills cannot sell manufactured products on a parity of costs with raw material. The argument appears to be specious. The law of supply and demand should have application to the cotton mill industry as well as to any other industry. Steel rails at one time were as low as $18, and $30 was the current price for a number of years. For the past several years this article has been held at $28, and the production of steel in this country has doubled within five years. A short crop of corn two years ago advanced the price from 33 to 70 cents in Chicago, and every available bushel was consumed, notwithstanding that the wheat crop of this country was large and the prices of flour ruled comparatively low. The relation of corn and wheat is more intimate as respects the shifting of demand than that obtaining between any other two staples of commerce. Industrial skill has made more pronounced advancement in cotton manufactures than in any other article of like character, so that the demand for cotton goods long since ceased to represent the needs for low grade goods only. Cotton fabrics are fast supplanting woollens and silks. Cotton fabrics with cotton at 12 cts. would be the cheapest article of wear known to civilized man.

For years the farmers of the South have been hewers of wood and drawers of water, while the cotton mills of the South have made most wonderful development. It is granted that fabulous fortunes cannot be made out of cotton spinning with cotton at 12 cts., and this only means that such fortunes have been made heretofore at the cost of the farmer and consumers generally. A millionaire who had lost nine-tenths of his fortune complained that he was a pauper. Cotton mills which have been making forty per cent. dividends when confronted with the necessity for working on a legitimate basis of 10 per cent. profit cry out that they must curtail production because they cannot sell the manufactured product on a parity with present cost of raw material. The cotton industry, probably more than any other, requires skilled labor, and the value of a cotton mill plant is its ability to operate and hold intact its custom and labor no less than its physical properties. If the American mills cannot spin at ruling prices for raw cotton the English and Continental mills will have a veritable windfall. Foreign trade is built up by much labor and retained by the most assiduous attention. If the American mills wish to throw away all that they have done in this line, no doubt the European mills stand ready to accommodate them.

The farmer has just come to his own; and since more than 75 per cent. of the population of the South is rural, this Southland of ours is unquestionably the gainer by high prices for cotton. The cotton growers are, for the first time in two generations, in position to protect their interest. They know that the present high prices for their product are the legitimate result of the law of supply and demand. They cannot be bluffed. COTTON.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Col. F. W. Kerchner has returned from Baltimore.

— Miss Bessie Williams, of Mount Olive, is visiting friends in the city.

— Miss Jessie Stevens, of Southport, has returned from Washington.

— Mr. James Miller, of the Gate City Coffin Co., Atlanta, arrived in the city yesterday.

— Dr. J. H. Dreher left last evening on a visit to Salisbury and will be absent one week.

—Master Harriss Stone, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stone, is quite ill with pneumonia.

— Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Britt and Mrs. Lena Wessell returned yesterday from Petersburg, Va.

— Mr. Wm. M. Atkinson, of the U. S. Coast Survey, is in the city on a visit to his father, Col. Jno. W. Atkinson.

— Rev. F. M. Shamburger and family left yesterday afternoon for their new home at Oxford. Rev. R. B. John will preach at Fifth Street church to-day, botth morning and evening.

— Miss Louise Bunting has returned from Charleston, S. C., where she attended the Daughters of the Confederacy General Convention and later visited the home of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Myers, 32 King street.

COAL, COAL, COAL.

The COAL we are offering at $5 00 per Ton will make you as good a fire, give you as much heat and do you as much service as Coals offered you at higher prices.

When you pay more you are throwing away the difference.

If warmth is what you want our COAL will give it to you.

Wm. E. Worth & Co.

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We'll Fix You Right For The WINTER!

We'll fit you out in an "H. S. M." Suit and one of our superb OVERCOATS that you'll be proud to wear! And it won't cost you any more than it ought to.

THE A. DAVID CO.
dec 6 tf

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.,

No. 9 North Front Street.

From now till Christmas, it's only a few days, but each one of them is worth any two days of merchandizing.

All the great holiday stocks must be disposed of. The Books, the Dolls, the Toys, the Games, all the great host of fancy articles are to be sold. We carry nothing over.

Great crowds daily visit the store. Still greater crowds will follow. There's reason for it, and there's reason in it. Every counter and shelf is laden with these reasons.

Make this store the base of your holiday supplies and see how satisfactorily you will be served.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.
dec 5 tf

CITY LIVERY CO.,

BAGGAGE TRANSFER.

BRASS POLISH, HARNESS OIL, CHAMOIS, SPONGES, SOAP,
RIDING BRIDLES. SADDLES, BLANKETS, ROBES, WHIPS.

dec 6 tf 108, 110, 112 North Second Street.

Wrecked Newbern Bank.

Judge Moore has appointed W. B. Blades trustee of the wrecked Farmers and Merchants' Bank at Newbern. The directors and stockholders agree to pay off all uncontested claims in 30 days from date, and all contested claims in 30 days after their legality is proved. Cashier Dewey's stealings are found to amount to $110,690. The liabilities exceed the assets by $30,000. Stockholders and directors will have to pay out considerable of their own money.

Elks' Memorial Service.

The Elks' Memorial, or Lodge of Sorrow, will be held in the Academy of Music this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Half an hour earlier local Ecks and all visiting members of the order will assemble at the Temple, on North Front street, and attend the exercises in a body. The programme for the service was printed in yesterday's STAR. Hon. R. B. Glenn, the orator, will be introduced by Maj. Wm. F. Robertson. The public is invited.

— Charlotte *Observer*: "Mr. J. L. Wiggins and bride, nee Miss Ethel Mathis, of Wilmington, arrived in the city yesterday after their bridal trip and are living with Mrs. Biggers at 313 North Church street."

Reduced Rates—Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Charlotte, N. C., North Carolina State Baptist Convention. Tickets sold Dec. 4th, 9th and 10th; final limit Dec. 16th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $7.75. †

Special attractions at Kress' 5 and 10c Store to-morrow. Buy Xmas goods early and avoid the rush. ‡

Special China and Glassware sale to-morrow at Kress' 5 and 10 Cent Store. Big values for Xmas presents. ‡

DIED.

SMITH—Yesterday at noon at her home, Tenth and Dawson streets, Mrs. VIRGINIA R. SMITH, wife of Mr. J. F. Smith.

Funeral this (Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock from late residence.

Folding Bed!

For sale a double Folding Bed of Finest Quality, with Springs and Mattress. Everything as good as new. Will be sold for half its value.

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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 6.

TARIFF CONCESSIONS BUT NO REVISION.

The Republican party's protective tariff policy is based on the claim that it protects, encourages and builds up American industries and gives work and living prices to the laborers of the country. We have seen recently that the inflated idea of prosperity has resulted in overproduction in nearly every line of manufacture, with the result that the supply is greater than the demand. The consequence is that "prosperity" run mad has caused the mills and factories to shut down to stop this overflow of production, labor has been knocked off, or else wages have been reduced, that result leading to discontent, strikes and violence.

When the people are demanding a revision of the present out of date tariff, a great part of the demand coming even from Republicans, the leaders of the Republican party are bent on making no concessions in reducing the burdens of the Dingley tariff. The Democrats in Congress have been endeavoring to draw from the Republicans what the people may expect in the way of tariff revision, but they have gotten no satisfaction from the protection party. The Hon. John Sharpe Willilms, leader of the Democrats in the House of Representatives, made a practical test of the possibibility of tariff revision a few days ago when he proposed in the House to reduce the duties on iron and steel. Of course, he failed, as every such attempt in this Congress will do, for the Republican party's policy was laid down authoritatively, and no doubt met the approval of other leaders, when Senator Mark Hanna declared at a political meeting in Ohio, "We stand pat on the tariff." From this declaration of the rotund Hanna, all the stalwarts who favor no meddling with the present tariff are called "stand patters."

Despite the efforts of the Democrats, therefore, the stand pat programme will be carried out by the Republicans through this Congress, but just what the Republican party proposes to do in the way of revision will possibly, but not probably, be made known in their national platform next year. The protectionist party, however, is throwing out some sop in the way of reciprocity, but it is along a line that will make the sugar and tobacco interests of the United States howl. Reciprocity with Cuba is going through, but while it is not yet effective, we are told that the administration is already formulating plans for granting special tariff reductions and privileges to the Philippines. Such a bill, it is said, will be introduced from a Republican source at the regular session of Congress which meets this month. There are some who advocate absolute free trade with the Philippines and with Porto Rico, and it is hinted that the radical Roosevelt will make some such recommendation in the message which he will send in at the beginning of the regular session. This question comes up here: Is the Republican party, instead of protecting the sugar and tobacco industries of this country, going to sacrifice them in the concessions to be made for these products from the Philippines? Speaking of the proposition of tariff concessions to the Philippines, we take the following from the New Orleans *Picayune*, which champions the cause of the cane sugar industry of the Southwest:

"The President and his advisers, of course, count upon even more formidable opposition than they have encountered in the Cuban reciprocity venture on behalf of the Sugar Trust. The beet sugar interests, cajoled into supporting with much reluctance the Cuban measure, now find themselves tricked by the Administration and face to face with another serious cut in the protection hitherto enjoyed by their industry. Naturally they will make a stout fight against this further attack, rightly holding that the sugar industry should not be made to bear the whole burden of the Administration's wild colonization scheme on the one hand and provide for its campaign expenses on the other.

"The argument advanced in favor of free trade with the Philippines is that the islands are now an integral part of our domain, which is not a fact. The islands are conquerred territory in every sense of the word, submitting to us only through compulsion and ready to throw off the yoke at any moment. The Filipinos are not American citizens, although they are American subjects and under American protection; instead of being a source of revenue to us, the islands are a source of constant expense. Such being the case, we are under no obligation to find a market for the products of the islands at the expense of our own industries.

"According to the Filipinos, the special treatment with respect to tariffs would be of no practical benefit to the Filipinos themselves, but would prove of inestimable value to the Sugar Trust, which would be able to import Manila sugar free of duty or at very low rates. Refined sugar being thoroughly protected from the competition of European refined, the Trust would be in a position to greatly increase its profits, and therefore able to make a larger contribution to the Republican campaign fund.

"The according of free trade to the Philippines, or even a material reduction in the duties on sugar, would be a piece of treachery, as the bill now pending in Congress contains a clause preventing any further change in the sugar duties for five years. It was on the strength of this provision that the support of the beet sugar people was secured for the Cuban reciprocity measure. They now have a fair sample of the value of administration pledges.

"The beet sugar industry can now understand the policy of the Administration, which is to sacrifice sugar for the benefit of the Sugar Trust. The desire to aid the Filipinos is merely a pretext. A realization of this fact should induce the beet growers to accord the cane sugar producers a heartier support in their fight against a reduction of the tariff than was accorded in the fight against Cuban reciprocity."

Th STAR notes in this connection that the *Picayune* opposed to Cuban reciprocity for the same reasons that it now takes up the cudgels against the administration's proposition as to the Philippines.

IS SOCIALISM AND PATERNALISM GROWING?

The Dowie scheme at Zion City is the largest experiment on the socialistic line ever attempted in this country. If a prophet like Elijah III will go broke in carrying out this theory of community existence, the socialistic theory may get a check in this country.

Socialism has, however, had considerable growth in the North, while paternalism in the theory of government has had even a larger growth in the South. To a student of political science, the rapid revolution in political theories in the South takes on more of the appearance of evolution, when we consider what the stride has been in a very few years, despite the fact that most of us would like to scout the fact.

BOOK NOTICES.

The December number of the "Review of Reviews" has been received. This magazine is a book within itself, and is handsomely illustrated. Among the artists is one on "Panama and the Canal Treaty" and one on "Bunau Varilla," envoy of the new republic. Subscription price, $2.50 a year. New York.

We have received the December number of "Gunton's Magazine." It is a bright number and among the various interesting articles are two of special interest in the South—"The Traveller in the South" and "The Seminoles of Florida." Place of publication, 41 Union Square, N. Y. Subscription price, $1 per year.

A Charlotte man has written a book entitled "How to Manage a Husband." If he knows anything about the subject he learned it from his wife. The methods of management may differ, but the plans of most women are effective.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Parker, Gray and Gorman are supposed to be the Democratic favorites, now that Cleveland has brought to and end the discussion of his name. Which of the three is the most likely to carry the pivotal State of New York? Parker has in his favor the fact that he is a native of that State, but an objection to both Parker and Gray is that people really do not know a great deal about them. As for Gorman, perhaps he is known a little too well. At present it seems to be a toss up between them and go ahead, hit or miss.—*Macon Telegraph.*

—— Prognosticators of "The Downfall of Dowie" are likely to be disappointed. Followers of delusions are as apt, to say the least, to remain "firm in the faith" as adherents of established churches; the wealth of Zion City, to say nothing of the earning capacity of its people, is equal to the liquidation of present debts multiplied indefinitely; thousands of men who have passed through bankruptcy have re-established themselves in successful business, and Dowie, though not a real prophet, is a genuine business man.—*Brooklyn Citizen.*

—— The local representatives of the Western Union Telegraph Company will do well to notify headquarters that the present policy of employing colored men as messengers is likely to cause serious and permanent injury to the company's business here. We do not know how it is with Columbia, S.C., Savannah, Ga., and other cities where the employment of colored men to deliver telegrams is said to be successful and popular; but we do not believe such a system ever will be successful or popular in Richmond. Our people are not accustomed to having unidentified colored men coming around their homes at night. Nothing would be easier or more easily suggested than for criminals bent on burglary or other crime to represent themselves as telegraph messengers and ring front door bells to ascertain whether or not the men of family were at home. The more promptly this scheme is abandoned the better it will be for all concerned. It would be more economical in the end for the Western Union to employ full-grown and respectable white men at high wages to handle their business while the strike continues.—*Richmond News-Letter.*

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' church: First mass, 7 A. M.; high mass, sermon, 10:30 A. M.; vespers, 7:15 P. M.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor: Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Preaching at 4:30 P. M. Public cordially invited.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison Bank building: Services at 11 A. M. and P. M. Subject of Lesson-Sermon: "God the Preserver of Man." All invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. C. W. Kegley, pastor: Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching and congregational meeting at A. M. Services at 7:30 P. M. Every person welcome.

St. John's church, corner of Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. J. Carmichael, D. D, rector: Second Sunday in Advent—Litany, sermon and holy communion at 11 A. M. Sunday school, 3:45 P. M. Seats free. Strangers especially invited.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Salisbury *Sun*, Dec. 3rd: Last night the unlocked safe of Mr. W. H. Huff was opened and robbed of about $300 in money.

— W. G. Brown, a well known printer at High Point, will soon begin the publication of a new paper there to be called the *Weekly Ledger.*

— Scotland Neck *Commonwealth*: Last Friday night an old colored man named John Webb was burned in his house on the road near Mr. B. D. Webb's. He was old and feeble, unable to walk and lived by himself, some boys staying with him at night. The house was consumed and the bones of the old man were found near the door.

— At Statesville on Thursday afternoon Mr. James Patton, a gentleman about 72 years of age, was killed by a west bound freight just beyond Statesville. Mr. Patton, who was very deaf, did not hear the train as he was crossing the track in a buggy. He was an old Confederate soldier, and one of the most gallant.

— A dispatch from Greensboro under date of December 3rd. says: Messrs. George Gould, and his two sons, Kingdon and Jay, and Perry Lorrillard, the millionaire snuff manufacturer, are at Mr. George Gould's lodge, near High Point, on a hunting trip. Each member of the party paid the $10 tax required on non-resident hunters and said that they thought the protection of birds a most excellent law. Up to the present time more than 100 nonresident hunters have taken out license in this county.

— Greensboro *Record*, December 4th: Mr. Charles W. Tate, who resides on Guilford Battle Ground avenue, just beyond the city water works, was the victim of a painful accident yesterday afternoon. He was out hunting near Reedy Fork and a colored boy was with him carrying his ducking gun for him. The boy was walking along a few feet behind Mr. Tate when he slipped and fell, dropping the gun, which was accidentally discharged, part of the load taking effect in Mr. Tate's right heel.

— Charlotte *Observer*, Dec. 4th: Down on the wharf yesterday Charlotte men gambled heavily—and won. 'Twas a red letter day in the history of local speculation. One suburbanite, it was said, won $38,000. A resident, who is a well-known business man, closed his contracts $12,000 to the good. Many were the men who won $1,000 and above. The lowest estimate made by any man among the large number of men interviewed by an *Observer* reporter yesterday indicated the belief that the smallest amount of cash won by the Charlotte people was $175,000; while the conservate opinions of a number of leading cotton men, as well as the reports from the exchanges themselves, would lead one to believe that twice the sum mentioned would come to Charlotte from New York.

— Section Boss—What is all that arguing down the road? Foreman—Why the man operating the steam roller insists that we shall call him a chaffeur.—*Philadelphia Record.*

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TWINKLINGS.

— "Scribbles, the poet, now has twice the number of readers he had before." "So? Whom did he marry?"—*Life.*

— Women are bound to have the last word—even if they have to turn to the last page of a book first—*Chicago News.*

— Dashaway—You were in Boston some time, weren't you? Cleverton—Oh, yes—long enough to make myself understood.—*Town Topics.*

— "I wonder what is meant by the statement that 'Nature equalizes things?'" "Well, if Nature endows a woman with small feet, it gives her a big head."—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

— Miss Passaye—I trust you will consider my criticisms, dear, as coming from a friend. Vera Perte—Oh, I will. I look upon you as the oldest, the very oldest friend I have. —*Brooklyn Life.*

— "I want to introduce you to Professor Baton, one of our greatest conductors," said the host at an afternoon musicale. "Indeed!" said the woman who had recently butted into society. "Band or street car?" —*Yonkers Statesman.*

— She—Charles, dear, how many teeth does a baby have? He—I don't know. But I think that after the way I've walked the floor for the last six months ours ought to have at least 150 by this time.—*Detroit Free Press.*

— Mr. Truckler—I think I shall give up my business, my dear, I might as well have some good out of my money. Mrs. Truckler—Oh, not yet, Samuel! But when one of us dies I shall give up my housekeeping and see a little of the world.—*Town and Country.*

APPOINTMENTS.

First Round of Quarterly Meeting—Wilmington District—Rev. R. B. John, Presiding Elder.

Fifth Street, Dec. 6.
Bladen circuit, Bethlehem, Dec. 12, 13.
Burgaw circuit, Wallace, Dec. 19, 20.
Market Street, Dec. 27.
Bladen Street, Dec. 27.
Shallotte circuit, Concord, Jan. 1.
Town Creek circuit, Macedonia, Jan. 2, 3.
Southport, Jan. 3, 4.
Waccamaw circuit, Lebanon, Jan. 9, 10.
Whiteville, Jan. 10, 11.
Elizabeth Circuit, Elizabethtown, Jan. 15.
Carver's Creek, Carver's Creek, Jan. 16, 17.
Magnolia, Jan. 23, 24.
Kenansville, Jan. 25.
Clinton, 30, 31.
Grace, Feb. 7.
Onslow, Maysville, Feb. 13, 14.
New River, Folkstone, Feb. 15.
Richlands, Feb. 16.
Scott's Hill, Feb. 17.

District Stewards will please meet me at Grace church, Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, at 1 P. M.

The District Missionary Institute will be held at same place Feb. 9, 10.

Christmas Holiday Rates.

For the Christmas Holidays the Atlantic Coast Line announces a rate of one and one-third one way fares plus 25c for the round trip between all points south of the Potomac and Ohio Rivers and east of the Mississippi River. Tickets on sale December 23rd, 24th, 25th: also 30th, 31st and January 1st, 1904, with final limit January 4th, 1904.

For the accommodation of students and teachers of schools and colleges the Atlantic Coast Line has arranged round trip rates as above, December 16th to 22nd, with final limit January 8th, 1904.

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List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., December 6.

STEAMERS.

Scarthoe, (Br) 2,535 tons, Hall, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Huelva, (Br) 1,691 tons, Harvey, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Cairnstrath, (Br) 1,334 tons, Hunter, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Adele Thackara, 515 tons, McKeen, C D Maffitt.
Damietta and Joana, 274 tons, York, C D Maffitt.
Robt H Stevenson, 1,053 tons, Higbee, C D Maffitt.
C C Lister, 267 tons, Moore, C D Maffitt.
Ida C Southard, 718 tons, Blake, C D Maffitt.
Harry W Haynes, 250 tons, Goodwin, C D Maffitt.
Wm P Hood, 632 tons, Philpot, C D Maffitt.

BRIGS.

Sullivan, 295 tons, McNeil, J T Riley & Co.

BARQUES.

Kampfjord, (Nor) 743 tons, Christiansen, Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—78 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 41 barrels rosin, 92 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—495 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—686 bales cotton, 16 barrels rosin, 82 barrels tar, 29 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—263 bales cotton, 19 casks spirits turpentine, 95 barrels rosin, 42 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Highlander—3 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 66 barrels rosin, 121 barrels tar, 91 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Sanders—11 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine.

Schooner Clarence H—2 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 65 barrels rosin, 44 barrels tar.

Total—1,538 bales cotton, 46 casks spirits turpentine, 283 barrels rosin, 381 barrels tar, 131 barrels crude turpentine.

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MAINLY CAUSED BY CHRONIC COLDS AND HANGING-ON COUGHS.

Mr. Robt. R. Bellamy, our well known druggist, has given a good deal of time to the study of consumption, and finds that comparatively few cases are hereditary.

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Such an unnecessary end, such a pity, for all could have been so different. We know of hundreds of cases where our wonderful cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, has saved a young and valuable life, which without it would have been sacrificed. We have letters from people who were given up to die, and who positively state that Vinol, and Vinol alone, saved their lives when all else had failed to help them.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, December 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market steady at $2.10 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 50½c; rosin steady at $1.30@1.35; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.75, 2.80@2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	46
Rosin	283
Tar	381
Crude turpentine	131

Receipts same day last year—75 casks spirits turpentine, 516 barrels rosin, 259 barrels tar, 44 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market steady at 12c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 7⅞c for middling.

Receipts—1,538 bales; same day last year, 1,474.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 77½c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 85c.

CORN—Firm, 65@70c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 16@16½c per pound; shoulders, 12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Firm at 22@23c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 40@45c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@3½c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Money on call nominal; no loans transactions; time loans were quoted steady; sixty days, 6 per cent, ninety days 6 per cent.; six months 5½@5¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6@6½ per cent. Sterling exchange was heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 482.875@483 for demand and 479.25@479.50 for sixty-day bills. The posted rates were 480½@481 and 484@484½. Commercial bills 478½@479. Bar silver 55⅝. Mexican dollars 42½. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 105½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 106; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 107; do. coupon, 107; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 133¾; do. coupons 133¾; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, ex int, 109; U.S. 4's, old coupon, 110; U.S. 5's, registered, 101¼; do. coupon, 101¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 112¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 87; Chesapeake & Ohio 32⅝; Manhattan L 141; New York Central 117¼; Reading 43⅜; do. 1st preferred 77½; do. 2nd preferred 60; St. Paul 141⅜; do. pref'd, 172; Southern Railway 20⅜; do. pref'd 78¼; Amalgamated Copper 41¼; People's Gas 96½; Tennessee Coal and Iron 32⅝; U. S. Leather 7¼; U. S. Leather, preferred, 76½; Western Union 87; U. S. Steel 11⅝; do. preferred 56¼; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 21¼; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 89; sales — shares. Standard Oil 646 bid.

BALTIMORE, MD., Dec. 5.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 12¾@13¼; do. preferred, —; do. bonds, fours, 71⅛. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 106@107; do. preferred, —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Rosin quiet. Strained common to good $2 45. Spirits turpentine quiet at 59@59½c.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 5.—Spirits turpentine steady at 55½c; sales — casks. Rosin steady; sales — barrels; A, B, C, $2 15; D, $2 15, E, $2 15; F, $2 15; G, $2 20; H, $2 25; I, $2 45; K, $2 70; M, $2 80; N, $2 95; W G, $3 15; W W $3 40.

SAVANNAH, Dec. 5.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 56c; receipts 375 casks; sales 330 casks; exports 738 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 3 311 barrels; sales 406 barrels; exports 2,219 barrels: Quote: A, B, C, $2 25; D, $2 25; E, $2 25; F, $2 25; G, $2 30; H, $2 35; I, $2 55; K, $2 80; M, $2 90; N, $3 05; W G, $3 25; W W, $3 50.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Sentiment before the opening of the cotton market to day seemed to favor a reaction, owing to the argument that outstanding accounts had probably been pretty well evened up, while cables were distinctly below expectations and the outlook was for heavy receipts. Reflecting this, the market opened steady at a net loss of three and fifteen points. A good demand developed at the lower level, however, and while realizing continued heavy, offerings were promptly absorbed and prices rallied to about last night's finals. Trading was fairly active, but fluctuations comparatively narrow. After showing at one time a net gain of about one to four points the market eased off a little toward the close under realizing and was finally steady, net three points lower to four points higher. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Cotton quiet at 12.65c; net receipts 45 bales; gross receipts 954 bales; stock 67,751 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: December 12.40, January 12.45, February 12.53, March 12.57, April 12.55, May 12.58, June 12.56, July 12.57, August 12.27.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.65; middling gulf 12.90c; sales 100 bales.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 54,905 bales; exports to Great Britain 953 bales; exports to France 7,700 bales; exports to the Continent 4 458 bales; Japan — bales; stock 839,670 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 54,905 bales; exports to Great Britain 953 bales; exports to France 7,700 bales; exports to the Continent 44,587 bales; exports to Japan 1,052 bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 4,006,010 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,211,252 bales; exports to France 445,311 bales; exports to the Continent 1,189,918 bales; exports to Japan 12,631 bales; exports to Mexico 15,338 bales.

Dec 5.—Galveston, quiet at 12¾, net receipts 14,231 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 12¾c, net receipts 2,770 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 12.50c, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 12.65, net receipts 257 bales; Wilmington, steady at 12c, net receipts 1,538 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 12.90, net receipts 52 bales; Savannah, quiet at 12 1-16, net receipts 7,667 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 12½c, net receipts 11,946 bales; Mobile, easy at 12¼, net receipts 1,092 bales; Memphis, steady at 12c, net receipts 3,757 bales; Augusta, firm at 12⅝c, net receipts 1,693 bales; Charleston, firm at 12c, net receipts 737 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Flour was quiet and held higher; Minnesota patents $4 55@4 75. Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red 90½c. Options closed at a partial ¼c net decline: May closed 85½c; July closed 82½c; December closed 91c. Corn—Spot quiet; No. 2 51c. Options closed dull and ⅛@⅜c net lower; May closed 49½c; December closed 51½c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2 41½c. Lard steady; western steam $7 00; refined steady; continent $7 30; compound 6¼@6½c. Pork steady; family $16 25; short clear $13 25@15 50; mess $13 00@13 75. Eggs strong; Western extra 31; refrigerated 22@26. Butter firm; extra creamery 25c; renovated 13@18c; factory 13½@15c. Cheese was quiet; State, full cream fancy, small colored, September 12c; late made 10½c; small white, September 12c; late made 10½c. Peanuts quoted steady; fancy hand-picked 4½@5c; other domestic 3@4½. Potatoes were steady; Long Island $2 15@2 37; Jerseys $1 87@2 25; Jersey sweets $2 50@3 50; State and Western sacks $2 00@2 37. Cabbage steady; domestic, per 100 $4 00@7 00; per barrel 75c@$1 25. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 15c. Rice firm; domestic to extra 3¾@6½c. Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining 3 11-16; centrifugal, 96 test 3 11-16c; molasses sugar 2 15-16c; confectioner's $4 30; mould A $4 70; cut loaf $5 05; crushed $5 05; powdered $4 55; granulated $4 45; cubes $4 50. Tallow firm; city ($2 per package) 4½c; country (package free) 4½@4¾c. Molasses steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice 31@38c. Cotton seed oil dull and steadily held at prices. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 25½@26½; prime summer yellow 34c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 37c; prime winter yellow 38@39c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Liquidation by local longs and an indisposition on the part of traders in general to open new accounts to carry over Sunday resulted in a set back to grain prices to-day and May wheat closed ½c lower. May corn and oats were each down ¼@½c while January provisions closed firm from 7½ to 17½c lower.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Cash prices: Flour—Market was firm at the quotations: winter patents $4 00@4 20; straights $3 70@4 10; spring patents $4 00@4 30; straights $3 50@3 75; bakers' $2 40@3 50. Wheat—No 2 spring —; No. 3 spring 78@82c; No. 2 red 86@86½. Corn—No. 2 43⅜; No. 2 yellow 44½c. Oats—No. 2 35½c; No. 3 white 35@37½c. Rye—No. 2 51½c. Mess pork, bbl, $11 12½@11 25. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 37½@6 44. Short rib sides, loose, $6 15@6 25. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, —. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 12½@6 20. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 27.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December, new, 82½@82¼, 83⅜, 81⅞, 82c; May 82¼@82⅜, 82⅜@83¼, 82@82⅛, 82⅛; July 77⅝@77¼, 78, 77⅛, 77½c. Corn—No. 2 December 42⅞@42⅞, 42⅜, 41⅞@42, 42@42½c; May 43½@43⅝, 43⅜@43¾, 42⅞@43, 43½c; July 43½@43⅛, 43⅛, 42⅞, 42⅞@43c. Oats—No. 2 December 35⅛, 35¼, 34⅝, 34⅞; May 36½@36⅝, 36⅝, 36, 36½c; July 33⅞, 33⅞, 33⅞@33¼, 33⅞@33½c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $10 90, 10 92½, 10 87½, 10 87½; May $11 20, 11 25, 11 20, 11 22½. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $6 37½, 6 40, 6 37½, 6 37½; May $6 45, 6 52½, 6 45, 6 47½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $5 92½, 5 92½, 5 87½, 5 87½; May $6 05, 6 07½, 6 05, 6 05.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 6⅝c; mild firm; Cordova 7¾@12½c. The market for futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points under realizing and rather disappointing European cables. The bull contingent supported prices at the partial decline, and the market was rallied soon after the opening to a level about unchanged to 5 points higher. Toward the close, however, realizing became heavier and while the market was finally steady, prices were net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales 104,250 bags.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, December 5.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices four to six points lower; American middling fair 7.04d; good middling 6.88d; middling 6.78d; low middling 6.72d; good ordinary 6.62d; ordinary 6.42d. The sales of of the day were 3,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 2,400 bales American. Receipts 7,000 bales, including 6,700 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and closed quiet; American middling (g o c): December 6.64d; December and January 6.59d; January and February 6.54@6.55d; February and March 6.53d; March and April 6.51@6.52d; April and May 6.49@6.50d; May and June 6.48d; June and July 6.46d; July and August 6.43d; August and September nominal.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Murchison National Bank,

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business Nov. 17, 1903 (Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,131,982 44	Capital	$300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	102,508 80
Bank Building	29,500 00	Circulation	200,000 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	718,1 6 24	Deposits	1,627,149 88
	$2,229,658 98		$2,229,658 98

Comparative statement of deposits.

Nov. 17th, 1901, $672,303 88.

Nov. 17th, 1902, $1,164,000 05

Nov. 17th, 1903, $1,627,149 88.

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Statement of the condition of the

ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK,

Wilmington, N. C.,

At close of business November 17th, 1903.

Organized 1892.

RESOURCES.			LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts		$1,022,833 05	Capital Stock	$125,000 00
Bonds		318,800 00	Surplus, etc	183,136 85
Real Estate		30,000 00	Circulation	125,000 00
Cash in Vault	$70,721 76		Deposits	1,346,266 29
In other Banks	336,048 33	406,770 09		
Total		$1,779,403 14	Total	$1,779,403 14

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SALE OF LANDS

For Taxes Unpaid For 1903.

I Have Levied Upon and will Sell at Public Auction, at the Court House Door of New Hanover County on Monday, the 4th day of January, 1904, at 12 o'clock M., the following Described Real Estate, to Satisfy the Unpaid Taxes Due the State of North Carolina and the County of New Hanover for the Year 1903, together with the Cost and Expenses Due Thereon Unless the Amounts so Due and Unpaid are Settled Before Sale.

FRANK H. STEDMAN, Sheriff, New Hanover County.

December 5th, 1903.

NAME.	Block	LOT.	Tax and Cost.
WHITE.			
B			
Baggett, L W and B R King	52	m 1 2 3 & e 4	11 92
Bailey, E P	128	w 5 6	
do do	15	e ¼ 3 4	
Barnett, mrs M M	37	n e ¼ 2	88 42
Batts, Elizabeth	77	e m ¼ 6	4 34
Ellis, R H	18	w 4 5	5 85
Bell, mrs M M	100	west end 5	3 04
Berg, James	3 9	s e ¼ 5	18 94
Best, Robert W	207	e 4	3 7
Biddle, heirs Julia A	78	m 1 2 3	9 89
Bierman, H J	2 0	w 2 3	6 61
do do Guardian	281	w end 2	17 86
Boatwright mrs M L	1 3	e 4 5	4 2
do mrs M E	165	½ interest w 4	40 5
do Victor T	129	s pt w end 2	39 23
Boesch, Mary C	278	e 5	8 89
Brady, Sarah	9	w m 1	30 40
	47	w & w m 1	
Brock, J O	92	pt west end 5	7 57
Brown, A A	488	m e m e m & w m 3 4 5	9 36
Bunting, L M	2 8	s e ¼ 1	17 67
C			
Canady, W A	63	pt e m 4 5 6	7 05
Carolina Inter State B & L Association	208	pt 1	
Casteen, J B	81	e 6	8 89
Collier mrs E F	204	w ¼ 5	4 15
do do	191	w m 1	
do do	306	e m 5	
do do	242	¼ of 5	
do do	197	e ¾ 3	
do do	269	pt 5	
Corbett, W H	7	e 6	98 43
Cowan Co, The S P	179	w m 3	5 09
Croom, Miss Jennie	323	n ¼ 3	49 25
W M Cumming, Agt			8 17
Scull, D S & wife	222	w 1	
do do	373	w 1 2	13 08
Capps, heirs Katie	264	pt e m 2	3 58
Carolina Rice Milling Company	190	w m 5 6	69 93
D			
Davis, L W	1 4	w m 5	
do do	100	w m 6	5 45
DeRossett, Ruth	1 5	e m 1	17 9
do hrs mrs T E	140	w ¼ 4	14 96
Dickinson, W P	225	n e 2	5 48
Dunn, mrs R B	184	w 5	5 20
DeVane, William	64	m 5 6	4 72
Dick & Reilley, agts			
Cotton, mrs A H	127	e 2 3	
do do	140	e 3	
McGloue, Thomas	257	w ¼ 4 5	142 79
Shaffer, A W	287	e 3 4	3 97
Hill, mrs V C	171	w m 1	1 88
			10 79
E			
Elkins J B	321	e ¼ 4	9 89
Ellis, A G	103	e m 1	3 58
do S J	199	w ½ e 2 3	
do do	76	s e 4	
Elmore, J R	26	s w ¼ 5	17 30
Ennett, heirs M F	118	s w ¼ 2	10 09
Evans, Mary M	101	e ¼ 4	8 89
			5 09
F			
Fore, C H	197	w ¼ 3 w 4 5	
do do	23	w 3 4	
Forest, J J	103	w 6	31 52
Foard, Kate W	136	e 4 5	7 37
Fowler, Zillah	125	e ½ 6 all 3	2 05
do do	58	m 6	
do do	244	e m 4 5	
do do	207	e ¼ 5	
do do	59	s w ¼ 2	
do do	73	e ¼ 4	100 36
G			
Gardner, Laura	17	s w ¼ 2	
Gaskill, J W	33	n e ¼ 2	4 48
Gaylord, George O	191	pt n w ¼ 4	5 14
do do	286	all 5	
do do	284	n w ¼	
do do	2 9	e ½ 3 s e ¼ 4	
Grant Anna and Miss Lawton	17	e 2	99 22
Green, Wm H	279	w ¼ 3	63 18
do do	9	w 4 5	9 27
Guthrie, Fannie	74	e 6	6 15
H			
Harriss, M McI	527	all	
do do	5 9	all	
do do	25	all 6	
do do	39	e m 1 2 pt 3	
do do	525	pt 5 all 6	
do do	27	all 4	
do do	28	all 1	
do do	1	all 3	
Harriss, W N Agt	32	n e ¼ 1	7 45
	5 3	s w ¼ 1	
Heines, heirs John F	198	n e ¼ 8	2 94
Heinsberger, P	183	w m 3	6 62
Hewlett, J H	117	e m 1	29 36
do Martha S	117	w 1	8 56
Hibernian Associat'n	179	n e 4	11 17
Hill, Willie	239	e m 5	6 38
Hinton, Camille P	157	n m 1 2 & pt 3	4 39
Holden, Mary J	173	m 1	25 96
Hurst, W M	4 8	m 1 2 w 3	3 38
Harlem, heirs Davis	262	w 3 4 5	9 01
			7 09
I			
Irving, G W	21	s w 2	6 99
J			
James, George H	61	w 2	6 28
Jewell, K W	9	e m 1	8 18
Jones, Rebecca A	77	w m 6	2 44
do Stephen	336	e 5	3 58
Johnson, E F	1 3	w m 3	
do do	139	e m 1 2 m 3 4	34 75
do Mrs Fannie A	351	e 5	3 60
Johnston, mrs A M	94	w 4	4 7
Joyner, D J Jr	296	w 2 3	4 34
K			
Keathley, mrs E H	116	w ¼ 4	12 68
Keenan, Mary E	486	w 1 2 3	4 84
do Rev J P	50	m 1 2	3 20
do Josephene	78	pt e m & e 6	
do do	78	s e ¼ & e m 4 5	
do do	50	e m 1 2	18 50
do W J	51	m 5 6	5 14
Knowles, Jos W	41	pt w end 1	6 17
L			
Lander, Jane	18	e m 1	
Lathrop, E S	184	s e 3	3 51
LeGwin, mrs S C	185	w end 1 2	22 79
Lietgen, R G	1 2	s e ¼ 3	6 61
Lundy, E J			11 79
	59	w 5	2 44
M			
WHITE			
Mason, E T	74	e ½ 5 s e ¼ 6	
do do	60	e 6	21 52
do Mary J	6	pt e m 6	2 81
Meares, hrs mrs A C	158	w m 1 2 3 4	20 24
Meginney mrs Valeria	180	e 3 4 5	35 44
Meyer, Leger	264	e 5 6	
do do	293	e 6	
do do	325	e 1	
do do	326	w 3	
Miller, Jas A	2 6	s w ¼ 2	25 65
Mintz, F L	186	e 1 2	9 32
	62	s w 7 4 4	8 36
do S N	65	n ½ 5	9 12
Moore, miss L B	488	w 1 2 3 4 5	15 45
do W C	5	m 1	
do do	37	pt w ¼ 1 n w 2 9	9 97
Morrelle, mrs C A	196	n w ¼ 4	7 37
Morrison, mrs Henrietta			
McCartney mrs L A	204	w ½ 2	41 51
McFarland miss Elizabeth	117	n e ¼ 5	10 51
	218	w 2	27 85
McKoy mrs K B	101	e 1	28 99
do W B	1 1	w m 2	10 71
N			
WHITE.			
Nelms, mrs Kate D	292	m 1	9 07
Norwood, Vance	290	e m 1 2 3	37 85
Nutt, J D	2 6	e pt 5	26 96
O			
WHITE			
O'Sullivan, J B	145	pt e end 6 & 6½	8 13
P			
WHITE.			
Parker, C C Jr	62	n e ¼ 4	4 77
Penny, mrs C G	132	n m 1 2	11 17
Pearson, mrs S C	191	n e 4	12 68
Perry, mrs L V	269	e ¼ 4	3 58
Picket, R T	34	w ¼ 3	3 20
Piver, J M	92	w 4 5 6	5 85
Platt mrs M A	2 9	w m 4 5	22 73
Polley, E G	160	m 1 2 3	16 67
Platt, hrs Sam'l	73	s w ¼ 4	3 58
R			
WHITE.			
Ramsey, Thos C	35	n w ¼ 4	4 19
Rankin, mrs E S	174	w end 1	15 72
Reeves, B F	3	w 1	6 86
do W J	87	e ¼ 4 pt 3	
do do	87	e ¼ 5	
do do	88	w ½ 2 w 6	
do do	139	w 6	
Register Wm H	117	s e ¼ 2	74 09
Richards, E V	147	w ¼ 3 4	9 9
Retter, Geo D	38	w end 6	10 85
Roderick John	4	e 4	5 90
			7 75
S			
WHITE			
Sasser, L B	92	n e 4-5 4	
Saunders H G & wife	78	m 1 2 3	19 94
do do	94	w m 4	
Sebrill, mrs L E	126	n e 4	11 87
Seitter, Geo F	279	e 2	14 69
Sellers, mrs C V	323	s w ¼ 2	7 42
Sharp, J E & W H	6	n w 2	10 03
do do	62	pt 1	4 14
Simmons, mrs Mary F	166	w 4	7 42
Smith, Jesse E	221	e 1 2 3	18 75
do mrs M E	280	w 1	15 90
Southerland, mrs C G	172	w 1 2	9 74
do mrs Susan C	197	w 4	16 67
Steljes, mrs M F	64	w 1 2	39 23
do do	6	w 3 all 6	
do do	78	w 1 2 3	
do do	1 6	e 6	
Sales, mrs Ella L	346	pt 3	60 14
Swann, Vraus	76	n e ¼ 2	10 79
			6 05
T			
WHITE			
Thorp, W B	171	n 1	23 39
Totzke, mrs A M	62	n w ¼ 4	6 99
Tucker, R D	198	pt w m 1 2	33 96
Turrentine, Jno R Jr	208	w ½ 2	14 63
do mrs M B	159	e ¼ 3	36 20
Thurston hrs Yelphia	89	e ½ 2	5 09
V			
WHITE			
VanAmringe, C S	8	all 4 5 e ¼ 6	
do do	131	w m 1 2 3	
do do	87	n w ¼ 5	18 47
do Miss Fannie W	156	pt m 5	21 03
W			
WHITE.			
Warren E D	104	e 1	7 61
Ward, Alice	69	n 1	6 72
Weeden, L A	100	e 6	24 49
Williams, Jas S	181	w 5 6	10 65
Williams, mrs S K	103	s w ¼ 3	11 50
Wilmington Towing & Construction Co	125	w ¼ 7 & wharf	56 31
Wilson, A M	103	n e 1	14 01
Woebse, John H	334	e 4 5	13 37
Wood, hrs R B	179	w 2	16 47

NAME	Block	Description	Tax and Cost
Woodard, Geo A Executor	223	w 3 4 5	2 44
Wright, Jno M. J G Wright & Son Agents	114	w m 6	30 01
Bowden, mrs M C	184	n 2	16 47
Bland, D P hrs	145	e 3	14 96
Rowell, mrs Comfort	143	w 3 4	10 40
Strauss, mrs J R	305	pt 3 4	20 27
Sheehan, miss Ellen	162	w 1 2 3	
do do	90	e ¼ 6	
Turlington R S	294	w 6	21 99
Wheeler, L W	309	e ¼ 4	6 64
do do	242	m 5	
Wilmington Sewerage Co	456	pt 5 6 all pipes & in streets	7 44
			93 690
COLORED			
A			
Alexander, Jerry	147	m 1	5 72
Allen, Andrew J	541	s e 6	
do do	541	n w ½ 1	4 33
Alston, J U	223	n w ¼ 3	8 47
Andrews, Andrew J.	5 0	s w p 6	
do do	541	n e ¼ 1	4 37
Austin, Jno J	253	w m 1 2	
do do	255	n e ¼ 3	9 09
do Julia	1 4	e m 2	9 44
B			
Barfield, Rosa	347	e m 1	2 45
Baker, Minerva	309	e m 1	2 06
Baskerville, Richard	350	w m ¼ 1	4 01
Batson, m	310	e bt 3	5 53
Perry, Richard	241	¼ int e 4 w 5	2 06
Bell, Jane	134	e m and e end	
do do	37	e m 1	9 28
Bennett, heirs John	339	e 5	3 8
Berry, L P	23	e p 3 4	2 81
Blackwell, hrs Betsey	48	e end 3	3 91
do hrs Susan	336	e end 3	2 43
Bland, Annie	554	m 1 2	
do do	136	n w pt 1	3 22
Blount, Esther	33	n e ¼ 4	2 82
do Hannah	281	e m	7 37
do heirs Harry	229	e pt 1 2 3	2 32
Bolden, hrs Randall	3	w p 4	3 20
Bowan, Jno P	339	e p 4 5	1 83
Bradley, David	271	w m 5	5 14
do heirs Lucy	80	n w ¼ 6	3 33
Bright, John	21	e p 2 3	4 34
Brinkley, I & Susan	45	w m 2	4 78
Brown, George W	310	m 1	3 20
do Georgiana	3 0	e dt 1 2	2 06
do James hrs	350	w 5	2 5
do John	540	s e ¼ 4	4 57
do John W	228	w 1 2 3	3 58
do hrs Lavin'a	310	p 2 3	3 34
do Lizzie	1 6	s e 5	4 72
Bryan, Rachel A	308	w m 1	2 63
Bryant, Louis	81	e p 5	5 85
do Maria A	490	w 1	2 44
Bruarl, Frances	42	w ¼ 4	2 81
Burnett, Allison	119	s w ¼ 3	3 58
do Jno T	211	pt 1 and 2	5 90
Burnes, Reubin	256	s w ¼ 4	2 96
Burton, Minerva	253	w p 3	3 90
Byrd, Kenan	242	n w ¼ 3	4 46
do Richard	38	e 1 1	2 81
do Acrie	47	e p 6	3 91
do heirs Edward	8	w 5 6	2 44
C			
Carr, Isaac	200	e ¼ 4	3 12
Carroll, Charles	31	e m 2	3 84
Clark, heirs am	536	n e ¼ 2	2 06
Clemmons, J J	118	w m 1	6 66
Clinton Mildred	251	n w ¼ 3	3 21
Cochran, Joshua	3 7	w pt 4 5	4 34
Collins, hrs Sarah A	226	e ¼ 4	3 58
Colon, Maggie	19	w m 4	1 88
Corbett, Nancy C	211	n e 1	3 96
Counell, Timon	337	e 4	2 81
Cowan, heirs am	226	s e ¼ 3	4 72
Crandall, Jerry	149	n e ¼ 5	5 12
W M Cumming, Agent for Walker, Harriett J	9	e m 1 2	3 58
D			
Davis, Betsey Ann	119	e m 1 2	4 34
do Charlotte	45	s w ¼ 1	8 96
do Charlotte L	266	p w 2 3	281
do heirs Hattie	83	s w ¼ 4	2 25
do James H	2 2	e m 1 2	3 58
do John Henry	119	e m 1 2	3 8
do heirs Louisa	46	w m 4 5	2 44
do Nancy	482	s w 3	4 34
do Toney	540	s w ¼ 4	2 64
do Wesley	40	w pt 5 6	4 39
Devane, Rev W M	223	e pt 3 4 5	4 53
Dixon Nelson	68	w 4	4 39
Dudley, heirs Dolly	51	m w pt 4	2 64
Dudley, William H	33	w m 1	4 57
Durham James	14	e pt 6	4 72
DeBerry, T J	541	n w ¼ 4	1 60
Durrant, heirs James	337	w 3 4	2 81
Dick & Reilly, agents			
Hansley, Barsheba	263	e ¼ 1	14 58
E			
Eakins, Harry Guard	64	pt e end 6	3 96
Edwards, A Brown	294	n e 4	3 21
do Thos & wife	95	e m 1 2	6 13
Ellerbe, hrs B K	162	e m 3 4	4 25
Ellerson, Alex E	56	n e ¼ 5	1 49
Evans, Cornelius	53	e m 1 2	4 77
do hrs Julius	13	n w ¼ 5	
do do	309	w 5 6	
Everitt Richard	35	w ¼ 5	5 60
Eagles, Ella A	309	e m 1 2	1 68
	269	w ¼ 4	4 72
F			
Faircloth, Mack	531	n ¼ 5	2 36
do William	541	s w ¼ 1	3 01
Foy, hrs James	148	n e ¼ & e m 1	2 81
Freeland, Geo	46	n w 5	2 28
Free Love and Golden Lyre	106	w ½ 4	8 80
Furgerson, hrs Sallie	536	s e p 2	2 06
G			
Galley, James M	254	e ¼ 3	4 91
Galloway, W A	37	w m 1 & 2	5 53
Giblen Lodge	171	e 1 2	8 89
Gospel Trumpeters	88	n e p 3	3 21
Graham, George	161	w m 5	
do do	161	s e end 5	6 19
Green Henry	6	w ½ 1 2	
do do	62	m 5 6	
do do	5 8	all 6	
do do	23	n e ¼ 4	
do do	50	w ¼ 6	
do do	518	all 1	
do do	20	w m pt 1	
do do	42	e pt e m 1 2	
do do	55	e m ¼ w pt 4 5	
do do	37	e ¼ 5	
do do	56	n w ¼ 3	
do do	67	e 5 & 6	
do Jane Ber P	103	p w ¼ 4	16 59
do hrs J W	108	w pt 5	1 68
Griffin Lucy	337	w 3	7 76
Gurley Alonzo	147	e 6 6 ¼	2 06
Gause, Edward S	33	w m 1 2	5 85
do do	33	e end 4 5	
H			
Hall, Clorinda	241	n w ¼ 2	7 54
do Della	339	e 4 5	
do hrs Jas D	241	w ¼ 5	
do Mary Collet	2389	all 2	
do C D & hrs Mary Jane			
Hall, Richard	23	n e & s w ¼ 2	5 78
do hrs R L	27	s e ¼ 5	4 58
do do	350	e m 3 4 5	
do do	187	w m 4 5	3 21
do Richard P	479	w m 1	
do do	350	e p 3 4	
do do	518	w ½ 5	3 98
do Thomas S	53	s e p	3 20
do Wm H	27	n e ¼ 1	2 44
do W M	327	n w pt 3 pt 2	3 08
Halsey Ellis	27	s e ¼ 1	1 49
do hrs Laura	36	w end 4 5	1 49
Hammond Caroline	228	e 4 5	3 95
Hankins, J C	64	w & s w pt 5 & 6	2 81
do do	1 6	e m 1 2	
do Thos miss	29	m 1	9 83
do do	64	west 6	
do do	25	s w ¼ 4	
Harriss, Lorick	2 7	w m 1	10 80
Harrison, Thos D	7	w m 1	2 81
Henderson Betsey	45	e m 6	4 89
Hicks, Dulse	228	w m 1 2 3	2 06
Hill, Allen H	192	e m 4	3 21
do Buck	565	e p 3	4 77
do Caroline	228	w pt	2 06
do Charles H	186	w p 2	5 53
do Lincoln	92	e 2 3	6 67
do Louis	3	n e ¼ 4	4 24
do M H	213	e m 1 2 s w ½ 2	5 09
Holland, hrs Ben	17	m 3 4 5	4 34
Holmes, Francis	294	e m 1	2 25
do Sarah A	293	e p 1	3 58
do William	224	e end	7 42
Holloman Samuel	230	w m p 5	85
Hooper, John	325	w m 3 4	4 77
do Johnson	132	e m 5 6	8 51
do Thomas	325	n w ¾ 4	5 53
Howard Andrew	19	n w ¼ 4 s w ¼ 3	2 07
do Jno H	74	n e p 1	5 14
I			
Isler, Sampson	324	w 1 n w 1	
do do	23	s e m 2	6 75
Ivery, Caroline A	240	w ¼ 3	4 70
J			
Jackson, James E	2 9	e 4 5	7 00
James, Wm Henry	37	e p 1	4 48
Jarvis, hrs Evelina	2 2	e end 5	4 72
Jenkins James C	148	e m 1	2 82
Johnson, Alex	38	west m 1	6 29
do J S	24	s e pt 4	8 18
Jones, hrs Ben	135	s w ¼ 1	2 82
do Eliza	67	e m 4 5	2 45
do Henry L	27	n w ¼ 1	1 70
do John	34	e pt 1 2	4 77
do Mary Jane	349	w end 5	1 88
do Moses Jr.	148	s e 6 6 ¼	1 68
Jordan, Wm A	149	n e ¼ 6	5 72
K			
COLORED			
King, Ben	351	west 5	1 88
L			
COLORED			
Lane, Elijah	264	e ¼ 2	5 09
Larkins Dolly	336	e p 2	2 80
Lawrence, Edward	55	m p 5 6	1 68
Lee, Daniel	16	e 2 1	4 34
Leonard, Elijah	36	n w ¼ 2	1 88
do George	119	s w ¼ 5	3 96
Lilly, Isaac & wife	162	e m 2 3	6 48
Livingston, hrs Annette	149	e m 1 2 3	2 44
Loftin, Major	486	w 1 2 3	6 61
Love & Charity 22	40	w ¼ 2	1 46
M			
COLORED			
Mallett, Alex & Wm P	247	w ½ 1	10 40
do hrs Hasel	20	e p 1	12 63
Martin, C M	224	m 4 5	
do do	490	w 1	9 89
do Robt H	25	w m 1 2	8 94
Mask & Taylor	36	all 3 & 4	
do do	39	all 4	
do do	40	n w ¼ 2	7 21
May Fennel J	187	n w 2	5 15
Merrick Isham	326	e m 1	4 72
do Samuel	174	e p 1 2 3	10 40
do Sarah A	48	n p ½ 4	
do do	69	s w ¼ 2	4 54
Middleton, Lucy A	101	e m 6	5 09
Milton Noble	297	s m 4	
do do	2381	point	
Mitchell J W	80	e p 1	6 81
do hrs Lucy	94	w 4	5 68
Moore, Polly	175	e m 3 4	4 72
do Robert	239	n e ¼ 2	3 54
do Rose & Lincoln	161	p 1 2 3	7 11
Moore, Sarah Jane	241	w ¼ 4	4 34
do hrs Thos T	269	s w 6	4 72
Morgan, hrs Abner	187	e m p 4 5	3 58
Moseley, Levi	264	p ¼ 5	8 96
Murray, Julius A	101	e m 6	6 09
McDuffie, J N	96	w end 6	7 80
McFarland, Joe	66	¼ 3	2 06
do do	22	¼ 4 5 6	
do do	37	e ¼ 2	7 28
do Simon	3 6	e 1	2 44
McGary, Eliza	136	w ¼ 3	4 72
McGuire Silas	34	e p 2	2 44
do Walter	327	w m 4	5 12
McIntire, Nancy	255	w 1	
do do	254	e m 1	2 26
McKoy, Frank L	269	e m 1	1 68
do Malvina	149	m 1 2	2 06
McLauchlin, Zeph	7	w ¼ 3 4	4 77
McMillan, Jas Guard	327	m 1 2	4 84
McNeal, Jno	20	s w ¼ 1	2 81
McRae, Jno C	52	e 3	4 39
N			
COLORED			
Newkirk, Thos	232	e 2	2 40
Nichols, Elizabeth	25	s w 3 pt 4	2 06
Nixon, Janey	232	w m 4 5	3 21
do hrs Prince	479	w 1 2 3	
do do	33	w ¼ 3	2 06
Noyes, Henry	288	w 3 4	3 21

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
O			
COLORED			
Onslow Jacob	213		5 94
P			
COLORED			
Payne, hrs Thos	221	west ½ 1	5 00
Pearson, hrs Jno	310	n w pt 2	1 88
Perkins, Dennis	74	w ¼ 5	3 58
Peterson, Edward	28	s e ¼ 3	4 38
Philips, Jno H	106	w pt 1 2	6 58
do Lizzie	326	e m 5	2 44
Price, Susan Campbell	56	n w ¼ 4	1 49
Q			
COLORED			
Quick, Sam	211	e m 1	
do Isham	211	m 1 2	6 98
do do	211	e ½ 3	7 57
R			
COLORED			
Reaves Louisa	238	e 1	6 61
Reddy, Harry	59	e m 5 6	3 76
Reid, Isabella	332	west 4 5	1 68
do hrs Samuel	265	west 1	
do do	69	all 6 w 5	8 71
Richardson, Margarette E	326	west 1 2	
Ripley, hrs Wm	81	e 6	5 85
Roberts hrs Cumber	137	west 2	3 21
Robinson, heirs Agnes J	39	pt 5	1 68
Robinson, heirs Agnes J	39	end 1 2	3 78
Robinson, hrs H'ry	2 0	n w 1	2 06
do W H	27	s e ¼ 5	3 82
Rountree, heirs of Dennis	337	e m 1 2	2 06
Rountree, Peter	336	e 1 & e m 1	5 90
Russ, hrs Henrietta	9	w 5 6	3 20
S			
COLORED			
Sadgwar, Fannie J	260	w ¼ 5	14 58
Scott, Jacob	119	e p 5 & 6	4 72
Shepard, Charles	149	s w p 6	5 53
do Dross	40	n w ¼ 5	4 58
do Joe	27	n e ¼ 3	3 82
do hrs Mitchell	38	w 1	2 44
do Penny	52	e 6	3 21
Sheridan, Jno A	518	all 4	1 68
do Rachael	106	n w ¼ 2	3 39
Shiver Caroline	119	e w 5 6	3 21
Simmons, Lawrence and wife			
Simmons, Nathaniel	135	w ½ 5 6	1 88
do hrs Susan	187	e 4 5	2 81
Sloan Joshua	262	w m 2 3	3 21
do do	3 0	s w pt 4	
Smith, Annie C	309	n e pt 3	7 24
do do	300	e m 4 5	
Smith, Edward	196	w ½ 2	21 61
Smith, hrs Lucy	253	w m 5	3 96
do Jno C	336	s e 4	2 44
do hrs Maria	271	w end	2 81
do Sam	278	m 5	2 44
do Lena or Candis	540	n e ¼ 4	3 96
do hrs Susan	242	s w 3	2 25
Stanley, Wright	33	e m 1 2	2 06
do Charles	27	s w ¼ 2	4 34
Springs Malinda	30	n e ¼ 1	3 82
Starling, Athalia	6	w 5	3 58
do Sam	105	w m 6	2 81
Stokes, B C	252	n w 2	5 09
do do	51	n e ¼ 3	
	83	n e ¼ 5	
Strudwick Mary Jane	46	e m 1 2 3 4 & pt 5	7 24
Suggs, Jno	256	w m 1	2 81
Swann, Ed	485	e p 2 3 4 5	3 20
do Lucy	339	w 4	10 07
Sweat, hrs Robt	266	w 2 3	1 88
Sykes Taylor	54	n e ¼ 5	6 61
			3 86
T			
COLORED			
Taylor, Edward R	55	s w ¼ 3 n w ¼ 4	4 58
Taylor, Lucy Ann	296	w m 3	2 64
Thompson, Jacob	339	w p 1	3 21
Turner, John H	134	e 5 6	4 61
do Mary E	254	w ¼ 1	8 89
do hrs Watson	349	w p 3 4	2 06
W			
COLORED			
Wade, Maggie	58	e m 4 5	
do do	60	e m 1 2	
Waddell, Cato	284	s w 4	6 48
do do	80	p n e ¼ 2	
do Dollie	541	s e ¼ 4	4 54
Walker, Chas E	51	e ¼ 4	2 06
do Henry hrs	240	e p 1	4 06
Walker, Maggie M	337	w p 4 5	3 96
do Sarah	216	e end 1 e m 1	2 81
do do	236	w ½ 2	
Wallace Wm	360	e p 5	7 57
Washington, Silva	148	e end 6	5 53
Watters, Amy	326	east 1	3 96
do Eliza	336	e m 2	3 21
Wheeler, hrs W L	135	e p 6	2 25
Whiteman, Jno H	224	s w ¼ 4	3 21
Wilkins, hrs Malinda	46	e p 3	11 10
Williams, Amelia	541	pt 4	3 96
do Edward	255	n w ¼ 2	1 46
do Kate W	252	e 1	5 53
do hrs Kate	160	w 5	4 4
do hrs Leah	351	e m 4 5	5 85
do Richard	198	west p 1	1 88
do Stephen	225	s e ¼ 4	4 72
Winfield, hrs Ferdinand			5 90
Wortham Benjamin	212	w m 5	2 45
J G Wright & Sons Agents—	96	w ¼ 4	4 34
Adams, Ella S	307	w m 1	6 69
David, Hester	309	e 2	5 85
Wright, B C	256	n w 1 n w ¼ 2	
do do	76	pt e m 6	7 96
Y			
COLORED			
Yarborough, Annie E	88	e & e m 1	8 70
Jenkins, hrs Maria	199	west 1	2 82

Delinquent Whites in Wilmington Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
Cutlar, DuBrutz	36	n e ¼ 2	
do do	5 6	w ½ 5	
do do	349	w m 5	
do do	89	e ¼ 4	
do do	269	w m 5	
do do	137	n w ¼ 4	
do do	148	e 2 5 6 pt n e ¼ 6	
do do	148	e m ¼ 4	
do do	279	n w 1	
do do	3	s e ¼ 2	
do do	47	e m 1	
do do	68	all 3	
do do	52	s e ¾ 4	
do do	483	w m 1 2 3 4 5	
do do	52	n e 4	
Daniel, C H	339	s e 5 n e 3	42 99
Daniel, heirs James	32	e 1 2 pt 4	4 34
Gordon, Eliza	2	e ¼ 5	4 01
Gore, D L & AV Horne	119	s w ¼ 3	1 88
Hardwick, Annie F	67	w 5 6	3 96
Justice, Theo	52	w 4 5	3 58
Johnson, Alice	281	e 2	2 82
Lossen, Thomas	198	w m 4 5 6	20 2
Lane, Allen	19	pt s w ¼ 4	1 68
Masonic Temple	241	e and 5	6 24
Meares, heirs mrs A C	166	e 2 and 3	153 04
Millis, heirs J W	523	e ¾ 1 2 3 pt 4	2 06
do do	471	w 5 6	
do do	66	w m 6	
Moody, hrs S M & wife	68	m 6	3 85
Morris, hrs Francis	308	c 1	4 72
do do	2	pt 1 2	
do do	3	all 1 2	
do do	4	all 1 2 pt 3	
do do	5	all 1 2 pt 3 4	
do do	6	all 1 2 3 pt 4 5	
do do	7	all 1 2 3 4 pt 5 6	
do do	8	all 1 2 3 4 5 pt 6	
do do	9	all 2 3 4 5 6 pt 1	
do do	10	e 2 all 3 4 5 5	
do do	11	pt 2 3 all 4 5 6	
do do	12	all 5 6 pt 3 4	
do do	13	all 5 6 pt 4	
do do	14	pt 5 all 6	
do do	17	all 4 5 6 pt 3	
do do	18	pt 3 4 all 5 6	
do do	19	pt 4 all 6	
do do	20	pt 5 6	
do do	29	all 5 6 pt 4	
do do	30	pt 3 4 all 5 6	
do do	590	s pt 5 6	
do do	591	s p 6	
do do	546	all 1 pt 2 3	
do do	547	all 1 2 pt 3 4	
do do	548	all 1 2 2 3 pt 4	
do do	549	all 1 2 3 pt 4 5	
do do	550	all 1 2 3 pt 5 6	
do do	551	all 1 2 3 4	
do do	545	all 1 pt 2	
do do	544	w 1	
Maccumber, hrs J N	35	s w ¼ 3 pt 3	53 29
Nixon, Rosa or W M Cumming	338	e 5	3 58
Sykes, John	523	w 5	3 96
Watson, hrs Sarah A	6	½ int. ¼ 3 4	2 06
Whitehead, Z W	127	w 1 2 3	3 39
Wessell, heirs A C	3	m 6	63 18
Wilson, hrs James & DuBrutz Cutlar	80	s e ¼ 2 pt n e 2	2 06
West, heirs S M	180	w 2	31 65
Wood, Willie Ann	254	m 1	1 68
Wilson, hrs James	470	w 1 2	1 49
Wright, Thomas H	523	west pt 1 2 3 4 5 6	1 68

Real Estate Levied Upon and Sold for Taxes on Same and on Personal Property.

MacRae, Hugh .... 171 m 1 2 3 4 5 tax & cost 692 18

Delinquent Colored in Wilmington Township.

NAME	Block	Description	Tax and Cost
B			3
Bonitz, heirs John	46	e 5 6	2 84
Bradley, hrs Charles	213	e end 1 2	2 48
Brodley, hrs Mary C	79	e 1 2	1 68
Brown, hrs James	296	w 1 2	2 08
Burke, hrs A	337	w 1 2	1 6
Brown hrs Benj	336	w m 4 5	3 58
Blackwell, Martha J	338	w end 5	3 58
Bumpass, Sam	55	n e 3	1 53
Byrd, A J	49	m 1	2 06
C			
Capps, John	54	m 1 pt 2	2 25
Calvin, hrs James	149	s e 6 6¼	4 08
Clinton, Lucretia	304	e 4	2 82
Cuyler, S P	69	e 1	1 68
E			
Epps, Rev Henry	289	n e ¼ 4	4 34
Evans, hrs Jubal	161	e n 5 pt 4	5 85
Evans, hrs William	97	s w ¼ 5 n w ¼ 6	1 68
Ellison, Sophy	38	west 6	1 68
Everett, hrs Marinda	49	e m 1 2 3	2 82
F			
Fennell, G M	221	n e ¾ s w ¼ 5	1 68
Flowers, Betsey	82	n e ¼ 4	1 68
G			
Green, hrs Sam	212	n w 2 & e m 3 4	3 96
Green, Henry Davis & Watters	83	s ¼ 5	3 25
Gause, hrs Elizabeth	46	n m 5 6	1 68
Green, Mary C or Smith	277	n w 2 3	3 25
Green, Margaret & Maria Howard	105	w m 6	2 25
Gay, Armanda	55	e 4	1 52
Gause, Henry	337	e m 2 3	1 68
Gause, Henry S	351	n w ½ 2	1 96
Herring George H	868	n w ¼ 1	1 87
Howe, Sophia	284	e 5	2 45
Henderson, W E	98	w ¼ 4	2 44
Hill, Sarah	68	n w ¼ 4	1 68
Hill, Millie & Lizzie Mitchell	240	m 4	2 45
Hankins, Abram or Mrs L Vollers	160	w 3 & pt 4	5 10
Hill, Abbie & Lizzie Mitchell	16	w 4	2 82
Howe Josephine	188	s w ½ 2	5 12
Howard, Martha	32	n e ¼ 3	2 25
do heirs Harry	49	e m 1 2 3	2 45
Jackson, W H	33	m 1	1 68
Johnson, W T	40	s w ¼ 5	2 25
Johnson, Louisa	148	e 1	2 06
Jennings, Ben	304	½ int w e & w m 3 4	2 44
K			
King, N E	58	w m 3 4	1 68
L			
Lewis, heirs John H	295	e end 6	4 72
Loftin, James H	304	n w 2	3 58
Lee Boo, heirs Lucy	337	e 4	1 87
Loftin, hrs Rufus and Allen Ryan	400	w 1 6	2 44
Loftin, Isaac	402	e m 1 2	2 25

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
M			
McRae, John	40	e 5	
McQueen, E W	58	m 4 5	1 76
Mcbride, hrs William	187	w m 1 2 3	1 67
Moore, J P & wife	161	w p 4 5	2 44
Moseley, Nelson	308	s w 1	3 96
			1 69
N			
Newkirk, Isham	238	m 1	
Perpetual B & L Assn	40	s w ¼ 2	2 06
Purnell, William	46	n w ¼ 3	1 60
			2 63
Q			
Quick Isham & Int. B & L Association. J Loftin	213	w m 3 4	2 06
R			
Russ, Maria	237	w end 1	
Reaves, heirs E	3	s e 3	2 06
Revis, D L	31	pt 3 m 1	3 20
Rowell, Lucilla	146	e 3	2 82
Russ, heirs Nelson	349	w pt 4 5	4 15
			2 82
S			
Spicer, Daniel	38	w ¼ 2	
do do	27	s w ¼ 6	
do Thomas	39	w ¼ 1 2 3	4 35
Sanders, C R	55	s e ¼ 2 3 e m 1 2	2 44
Stroud, Anderson	55	n e 5 e end 6	1 76
do do	55	s e 5 e m 5 6	
do do	55	w m 6 s w ¼ 4	
do do	54	n w m ¼ 5 s w ¼ 5	
do do	541	s w ¼ 6 n e ¼ 6 n e ¼ 5	
do do	54	e ½ 2 e ¼ 1 n e ¼ 4	
do do	541	n e m ¼ 5	7 90
Southerland, Mary and Nancy	69	e 5	
Sampson, Mary Ann	212	m 5	1 68
Stratton, hrs Clarissa	350	e 2	2 44
Skurlock, Mary	80	s w ¼ 2	1 97
			3 58
T			
Turner, Mary Ann	338	e 4 5	2 26
W			
Watters, Maria	307	e m 2 3	
Williams, Henry	252	n e 2	2 06
Wooten, Sophie	336	e 4 5	4 34
Waddell hrs Herman	349	w 2	2 44
Ward, Francis	46	e m 5 6	1 68
Williams, Jane or Knox	149	e m 6 ¼	2 26
			33

Harnett Township

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
WHITE			
Alford, Geo H	17	Pt Harper's land	
Batson, S G	500	½ int Nixon & Moseley land	6 67
Bethea, W B	¼	int in Nixon's & Moseley land	14 22
Blake A E or S E	11	pt Monk tract	14 13
do A T or S T	7	East Wilmington	16 04
Blue, L A	½	store lot in Wrightsville	16 05
do do		1 lot Summer Rest	9 4
Butler,	23	pt O Batson's land	1 87
Capps, Englehart	23	pt Batten land	1 49
Carolina Yacht Club		Club House on Beach	
Carney, R N	6	adj T B Carney	20 27
Dean, J A		pt Delgado Mills	1 88
Edens, E N		land on R R	3 81
Ellis, miss Martha	3	w Rogers place	7 46
Emmett, J E		Greenville	11 93
do hrs W J	25	pt Nichols land	2 06
Foy, F M	326	Home place	7 37
Galloway Thos	¼	int 200 Banks land	1 88
Harriss, George agt	13	pt Nichols land	4 39
do do	5350	Sanders tract	
do do	3	pt Bradham tract	80 97
Herbst, F	109	Home place	5 13
Highsmith, J H	75	pt Clay Point	15 46
do do	10	adj Mary Foy	
Hunt, S H	20	pt Batten land	4 31
Irwin, mrs H C	12	adj WF Alexander	2 41
Jones J F		H & L Beach	5 09
	11	Eliza Williamson land	
Kenan, mrs T J	48	Home place	2 45
do do	13	pt Smith's land	
Kitchin, hrs C C	26	adj Westbrook	31 74
Kirkham hrs J C	24	East Wilmington	4 34
Lippitt, hrs mrs J D		House and Lot Wrightsville	12 51
Mason, J F	1	East Wilmington	4 31
Mills, F T	18	pt Monk land	12 54
McKenzie, Henry		lot on Wrightsville Beach	13 51
Norwood, Vance		lot on Wrightsville Beach	8 15
Pollock Laura	3	pt Nobles land	15 80
Rogers, G H	13	pt Maffitt land	2 44
Tompkins, J W or H W	45	pt Canady & Batson	9 59
Wallace Harry			7 29
Watters, Charles	15	adj L R Mason	2 63
do & Wright	41	near city	3 71
Winters Lucretia	20	adj CH Alexander	13 90
Wilkins n Frank	12	do do	2 47
Wrightsville Beach Hotel			4 57
		Lot Hotel & Building on Wrightsville Beach	134 07
Wright, Emple & Marion	5	adj Seaside Park	5 85

Harnet Township

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
COLORED.			
Bullard Richard	7	pt Lenan tract	3 89
Campbell, John	5	pt Bradley tract	3 98
Fayles, David	5	adj H Alexander	
Hall, J H	6	adj T egten	2 94
Harper, James	9	pt Shepard land	4 67
Hines Louis	5	pt Futch land	4 40
Jones, Hyman	67	pt Futch land	8 8
Loftin J H	5	pt Allen land	5 63
Lowery, Jacob	4	pt Bradley land	5 71
	10	adj mrs M G Walker	
Martin, John	2	adj Bradley land	4 10
Nelson, A J	1	adj Turnpike	3 8
Nichols, James		adj G Holloway	2 44
Nixon, Anthony	61	pt Everett land	2 7
do do	30	adj M G Walker	
do hrs Hettie	7	adj Jacob Lowry	9 94
do Jordan	44	adj H Alexander	5 47
do do	13	adj J D Nixon	
do Mary J	13	adj H Alexander	8 29
Pickett, Joseph	65	adj do do	6 31
Ridbery, Sarah	98	pt Futch land	8
Simmons, J S	5	pt Allen land	2 44
Swann, E D	2	adj Futch land	2 49
	15	adj E W Smith	6 65
United Sons & Daughters of Salem	3	pt Futch land	2 25
Wallace, Sandy	10	near Scott's Hill	2 87
Whitefield, Gilbert	50	adj M G Walker	5 23
Whitehurst Isaac	20	adj Miltens land	5 14
Williams Frank	2	pt Bradley land	3 12

Delinquent Whites in Harnett Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
Atlantic Yacht Club		Club House on Beach	14 95
Bierman, H J	215	on Gordan road	
do do	100	E Russ land	
do do	215	James Turlington land	
Black, hrs A B	2-5	int in 320 acres	9 98
do do	200	Banks	
Cowan, T R		House & Lot in E Wilmington	11 82
McKoy, W B	50	adj Harper	3 58
do do	50	adj Williamson	
Cotton, mrs A H		House & Lot on Beach	14 02
Pritchard, W B and wife		House & Lot on Summer Rest	8 13
Pittsburg Lumber Co & J T Foy	300	pt Foy land	7 37
Roberts, W F	25	pt Francis Bell land	6 24
Sanders, W A		House & Lot on Beach	4 34
VanAmringe miss F. W		Lot on Beach	9 64
Williams Earnest		House & Lot on Beach	2 82
Snider, mrs M C		House & Lot on Beach	9 64
			2 4

Delinquent Colored in Harnett Township

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
Bruard, Francis	8	adj J B Canady	1 6
Nixon, Thomas	18	adj Jordan Nixon	3 2

Cape Fear Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
WHITE			
do Isiah	32	adj do do	
do R J	64	adj do do	1 63
do F B	64	adj do do	2 06
Castle Manuf'g Co	2	adj A C Line and River	2 06
Dickinson, W P	25	adj Smith Creek	34 23
Gregerson, William	120	Tray Point	6 66
Harriss, George Agt	49	adj Smith Creek	6 95
do do do	650	Sneeden tract	
Joyner, J D	1	Acorn Branch	12 88
Kerr, J A	100	adj Latta	6 05
Mott, W I or J	150	adj Bellois	9 16
Palmetto Co	11	San Souci	3 58
Pickett, heirs M C	82	adj Sturg Creek	77 17
Sellers, J F	64	adj Rock Hill	1 68
Thruston, hrs Zilpha	100	near 4 mile post	6 2
Walker, hrs Martha	5	adj Gorth	8 98
Allen, E O	6	pt Milton tract	2 09
Burgwin, heirs Lilly	1964	Hermitage	1 59
			31 05

Cape Fear Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
COLORED			
Brown, Richmond	16	adj Acorn Branch	5 48
Clark, Henry	16	Blue Clay	1 68
Day, Julia	3	adj Clio	1 68
Grady, George	13	Punkin Hill	1 73
Hause, Joe	5	adj Acorn Branch	4 78
Hill, Amy	17	adj Rock Hill	2 81
James Jessie	5	adj Wild Cat	2 29
Jones, Billery	5	adj Montgomery	3 93
Jordan, R J	5	adj E Worth	3 08
Merrick, James H	72	adj Hector Smith	4 27
Miller, Adam	2	adj Rock Hill	1 68
McGhee, G G	2	pt Lattie tract	2 63
McGhee, Lucy A	1	adj J A Kerr	1 49
McGuire, Elisha	5	adj F Hawkins	2 06
McIntyre, Sam	20	adj Oakley	2 8
O, Douglas	7	adj Worth	2 43
Pigford, heirs Easter	5	adj Wild Cat	1 49
Ripley, Will	6	adj Rock Hill	4 35
Saugwar, Fanny J	90	adj DeRosset B'h	6 6
Sloan, heirs Tena	25	adj Hermitage	2 44
Simpson, James and Hunter			
Smith, Arthur	5	adj A Moore	4 51
Smith, William	18	adj Morgan	4 80
Tate, Robert	10	adj Hermitage	2 53
Tate, William	5	adj F Scott	4 05
Wilber, Mary	9	adj Wild Cat	4 39
do Sarah	5	adj Rock Hill	1 68
Williams, Jennie	5	adj Mary Wilber	1 68
	5	adj Rock Hill	1 88

Delinquent Whites in Cape Fear Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
Bule & Rosser	1	Rock Hill	2 44
Bowden, hrs J O	3	adj Point Peter	2 44
Cowan, Ida	90	adj Hermitage	
do do	25	Hanberry	5 67
Davis, S J	25	adj DeRosset's branch	
Larkins, W W Gua	300	pt Richard land	2 82
Robbins, D M		near Hill	2 82
WilmingtonPark Co	12	adj Graffin	6 6
			8 13

Delinqent Colored in Cape Fear Township

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
Burgwin, Eliza	24	adj Oakley	3 19
Davis, Ann	10	Rock Hill	2 06
Fonville, Jerry	100	do do	5 85
Moore John	10	adj Worth	1 87
Nixon, Susan Ann	9	Wrightston	1 87
do John	20	adj Rock Hill	3 35
Potter, Sarah	2	adj do do	1 57
Thomas, Mary A	35	adj do do	2 44

Federal Point Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
WHITE			
Bates, mrs L M		Lot Carolina Beach	
Burnett, Thomas	86	adj W H Southerland	1 49
do do	67	Banks Land	
do do	8	adj W K Southerland	
do do	66	Banks Land	
Clark, C J		Lot Carolina Beach	11 32
Clark, J P		Lot do do	1 68
Craig, Mary R	100	adj E Grissom	1 68
Davis, O F	100	adj M F Craig	2 44
Harris, George Agt	1715	N Harris et al	2 21
King, William J	50	adj Jas English	7 76
Lewis, William E		Lot adj W R Lewis	2 00
Newberry, H E		Lot Carolina Beach	6 55
Robbins, O A		Lot do do	1 68
			1 49

Federal Point Township

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
COLORED.			
House, hrs A N	296	adj W A McNeill	
do do	41	Piney Island	3 97
Howe & Greene		L Carolina Beach	3 21
Johnson Willie	49	adj Newton hrs	2 06
Moore, Elijah	80	adj G W Rogers	3 21
Samuel Lee	3	adj J O Harriss	
do do	50	Morgan Track	3 18

Delinquent Whites in Federal Point Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
McKeithan, M C	100	adj D Bender	
do do	71	Banks land	3 05
Patrick, C		Lot C Beach	1 49
Southerland, Hiram	114	adj A Teachey	
do do	70	Banks	
Taylor & Corbett		Lot C Beach	3 21
Teachey, A M	11	adj Southerland	1 68
do do	75	Banks	
Hrs A C Wessell	85	adj J Taylor	3 05
			2 06

Masonboro Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
WHITE			
Walton, Elijah	3	adj Hewlett	3 20

Masonboro Township.

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
COLORED.			
Baker, Caesar	4	adj L Davis	1 49
Jordan, Harriet	3	adj R H Horton	1 57
do Thos	3	do do	1 70
King Richard	25	adj D W Trask	2 14
Leonard, Elijah	25	adj Cape Fear River	
Rhodes, Emanuel	5	Lilly place	2 14
Smith, hrs Joe	83	adj Telfes Banks	1 68
Walker, Altmore	123	Craig	2 8
Wilson, Alex	10	adj Hewlett	7 16
			4 02

Delinquent Whites in Masonboro Township

NAME	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost
Call, A G	37	Piner tract	2 44
Craig, D F	9	adj D J Fergus	1 60
Curtis hrs John	20	adj Pervins Cr'k	1 68
Harr & Bailey, hrs	127	adj Cape Fear river	
Letts, A G			5 09
Sneszler August	56	Harriss place	9 64
McIntyre, Thos A	32	pt Fowler land	2 82
	20	adj Fairfield	4 34

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Schedule in Effect Aug. 2, 1903.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 38 p m
Ar Wilson	1 18 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 23 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	....
Ar Weldon	4 56 p m	1 25 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 53 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 4 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 28 a m	9 13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 05 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 06 p m	9 48 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	1 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 37 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 19 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 25 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar Savannah	6 30 p m	3 00 a m	8 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	....	9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa	....	10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 30 a m	5 20 p m
Ar Savannah	12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence	7 35 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 20 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily		East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 20 a m	Ar	7 50 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 25 p m	Ar	4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv	3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday		South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar	12 15 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv	9 00 a m

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TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4.05 a m, Hamlet 6:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	9 05 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	....
Ar Chester	10 35 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 22 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 05 a m
Ar Atlanta	3 50 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 25 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 20 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Portsmouth / Ar Norfolk	8 00 a m	5 35 p m

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 35 a m	8 36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 a m	11 35 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 13 a m

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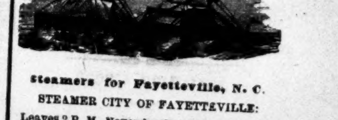

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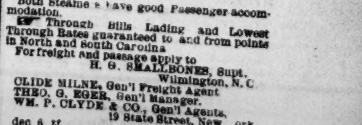

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SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 6.

PROF. LANGLEY'S AIRSHIP.

Another Experiment With the Machine to be Made in a Few Days Near Washington, D. C.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The big sixty-foot aerodrome of Professor Samuel P. Langley, the secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, which was unsuccessfully launched a few months ago, was prepared for another experiment in the Potomac near here to-day, but unfavorable wind conditions prevented the test. The machine has been put in perfect order, and is ready to be hoisted on the superstructure for another trial at the first opportunity, possibly Monday. No attempt will be made to hoist the machine into position unless the wind is less than twelve miles an hour in order to avoid possible danger to the men engaged in the work. F. M. Manley, Professor Langley's chief assistant in the flying machine researches, was aboard the house boat all day with his force of mechanics. Professor Manley made observations of the wind velocity a number of times during the day, but no time did conditions warrant at an attempt at flying. Professor Langley said that the time of the next attempt now hinges on wind conditions. He credited the trouble with the last experiment to a metallic projection on the launching track and explained that the obstacle had been removed. He said it was not likely the experiment would be undertaken again at Widewater where the wind conditions proved so unfavorable.

CONCERNING FREIGHT RATES

Only a Few Unimportant Changes Made by Southern Classification Committee Indicating an Advance.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Southern classification committee, of which P. J. McGovern is chairman, has adjourned after three days session at the Raleigh Hotel. Nearly one hundred items of classification were discussed by the members of the committee, and several representatives of the shipping public were heard.

Reports that the classification ratings were to be advanced as a result of this meeting were erroneous. In a majority of cases the ratings were reduced, some changes being made in the wording to prevent any misunderstanding as to the purpose of the classification.

Out of a total of ninety-nine subjects discussed, only three changes were made which indicated an advance, one of these being on locomotives because of the greatly increased weight of the locomotives manufactured in recent years. The other two advances were unimportant.

The chairman states that the tendency in considering classification ratings is in the direction of a reduction, and this meeting was no exception to the rule.

NEGRO LYNCHED.

Hanged by a Mob for Attempted Assault on a White Child.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TAMPA, FLA., Dec. 5.—Lewis Jackson, a negro, charged with having attempted to assault the three-year old daughter of Superintendent R. F. Ensey, of the government works at Fort DeSoto, Mullet Key, last Monday, has been lynched near Tampa by a mob of white men.

Jackson was brought here pending an investigation. It was found that there was no law under which the negro could be convicted and he was ordered released. The negro had barely got to the outskrts of two when he was apprehended by town white men who placed him in a cab and carried him to a spot near the city where a mob of white men hanged him.

STILL HARD ASHORE.

Wreckers Have Contracted to Float the Torpedo Boat Moccasin.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., Dec. 5.—The submarine torpedo boat Moccasin is still hard ashore near Currituck, according to advices over the coast wires to-night. At last accounts the craft is in an easy condition and is not damaged.

The Merritt and Chapman Wrecking Company has contracted with the government to float the stranded vessel at a cost, it is said, of $7,500. This company will also have the assistance of government vessels, probably the Yankton and Vixen, which are yet at the scene of the wreck. The wreckers will leave Norfolk to-morrow.

NEW YORK BANKS.

Statement of Averages of the Associated Banks.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans, $883,009,300; increase, $1,-162,600. Deposits, $843,900,400; increase, $1,345,400. Circulation, $46,-058,100; increase, $21,600. Legal tenders, $65,418,800; increase, $,146 800. Specie, $151,611,600; decrease, $639,-600. Reserve, $217,030 400; increase, $517,200. Reserve required, $210,735,-100; increase, $337,100. Surplus, $6,-305,300; increase, $180,100; Ex-U. S. S. deposits, $15,505,575; increase, $177,950.

Dr. Horace M. Paln, a leading physician of New York State and one of the oldest and best known homeopathic practitioners in the country, died in Atlanta yesterday at the residence of his son.

A Frightened Horse,

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EXTRA SESSION OF 58TH CONGRESS

Expires by Limitation at Noon Monday, When the Regular Session Begins.

A PERPLEXING SITUATION.

All the Civil and Military Appointments Made by President During Recess are Without Effect and Will Have to be Renewed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—By the manner of adjourning the House to-day the extra session of the 58th Congress will expire by constitutional limitation Monday, when the regular session will begin. This eliminates the possibility of a recess between the two sessions and opportunity for the President to renew his civil and military recess appointments. Such appointments as have not been confirmed by the Senate during the extra session must be renewed, simply in the form of nominations, which in effect are but recommendations and do not become effective in any case until confirmed by the Senate.

In effect this action will demote General Wood from his present rank of major general (to which the Senate has not confirmed him) to the rank of brigadier general, which he held prior to August 8th last. It also will demote, in like manner, 167 army officers who were promoted respectively to fill vacancies caused by the promotion of General Wood. The important civil appointments include William D. Crum, as collector of customs at Charleston, N. C., Charles P. McClelland as a member of the board of general appraisers of merchandise at New York and V. McAllister, of Vicksburg, Miss., as receiver of public moneys, all of whom are serving under recess appointments, the effect being to vacate their present positions.

As Collector Crum's recess appointment has thus been terminated and the situation in the Senate has been such that his confirmation is despaired of, the collectorship of the port of Charleston will remain vacant until the expiration of the next session of Congress, unless the President selects some one else for this place and the nomination is confirmed by the Senate.

While no official representation has been made by the Senate to the House, several informal conferences have been held between the leading Republican senators and Speaker Cannon. In these conferences the Speaker has stated that the House had no constitutional authority over executive appointments or confirmations, and that if the creation of a recess was necessary to take care of such matters the Senate should have taken official action looking to adjournment of the special session by concurrent resolution. In the absence of such a movement, the Speaker said, he should not interfere in any way in the expiration of the extra session by the constitutional limitation. All of the nominations, including army, navy and civil appointments, made by President Roosevelt during the extra session and which have not been confirmed by the Senate will have to be renewed at the regular session. It is expected that these nominations will be retransmitted by the President Monday next.

At the War Department, the officials are not quite so clear in their minds as to the exact status of the military officers whose nominations have failed of confirmation. There is a disposition to take the point of view that between expiration of the present session and the beginning of the regular session there will necessarily be an appreciable but practically infinitesimal period of time when there is no session and consequently Congress is technically in recess, and it would be within the power of the President to make recess appointments to continue during the next session unless otherwise disposed of.

In the Senate to-day the resolution introduced by Mr. Morgan providing for an investigation of the charge that the transcontinental railroads have been interfering unduly in the Isthmian canal question, was called up and referred to the Committee on Contingent Expenses of the Senate. The Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock Monday.

ALLEGED SWINDLER.

Former Manager of the White Commission Co., Birmingham, Ala., Arrested.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., Dec. 5.—F. B. Wellons, formerly manager of the White Commission Company, who is under arrest charged with embezzlement of $7,000, was given a preliminary hearing to-day and his bond fixed at $10,000. So far he has failed to make it. Sensational evidence was introduced which tended to show that Wellons had accepted $1,200 or $1,500 in margins on blocks of Brooklyn Rapid Transit and T. C. I. stock, after the contract had been closed out. T. D. Howard, the prosecutor, presented checks for money that he had paid as margins after September 29, when the books of the company showed that the stocks had been closed out on that day.

Howard claims that he and the persons he represented would have made $10,000 on these stocks if they had not been closed out without notice. The White Commission Company is also prosecuting Wellons.

EDWARD L WENTZ.

The Missing Millionaire Again Reported to Have Been Found.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 5.—A Bristol, Tenn., special says:

It is reported to-night that Edward L. Wentz, the young Philadelphia millionaire who has been missing since Oct. 14th, has been found, and that he is probably demented. According to the report, young Wentz is either in Philadelphia or on his way there. His brother, Daniel Wentz, went to Philadelphia three days ago. One of the Wentzs' attorneys, when asked about the matter to-night, would not deny that Wentz had been found, but said that it might be so. Further than this he would not express himself.

It appears that Wentz has been in hiding in the mountains not far from Finney, a station on the Clinch Valley division of the Norfolk & Western railroad.

U. S. Minister Allen had a long interview with the Emperor of Corea yesterday on the subject of the request of the United States for the opening to the commerce of the world of the Corean port of Wiju on the Yalu river. No definite decision was arrived at. The government has been placed in a dilemma by the demand of the United States.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Speaker Cannon Announced Committees. His Treatment of the Minority Sharply Criticised.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Speaker Cannon to-day completed the organization of the House by announcing committees, so that when the House reconvenes Monday it will be ready to proceed at once with general legislation.

At the request of Mr. Williams, the minority leader, an hour was given to general debate, during the course of which Mr. DeArmond, Democrat, of Missouri, criticised the numerical representation accorded the minority on the important committees. Mr. Payne replied on behalf of the majority. The greater portion of the time given to debate was taken up in a discussion of the tariff policy and its effects.

When the Speaker brought down the gavel to day, upon the adoption of the motion to adjourn, he merely announced that the House stood adjourned.

Mr. DeArmond said that on each of the sixteen most important committees, each of which is composed of seventeen members, the Republicans have eleven members and the Democrats six. This, he said, was unjust and unfair, and was an outrage to a minority which he said is entitled to a larger representation. Mr. DeArmond also charged that the committees were made up for partisan purposes. He said he would propose a resolution with a view to adding one Democrat to each of the sixteen committees.

Mr. Omsted, Republican, Pennsylvania, said that Mr. Clark, whom he designated as "the Democratic statistician, wit and prophet," had already predicted a Democratic president and house in 1904, and added if this prophecy should prove true, it would drive a hundred million dollars into hiding within thirty days. He characterized Democratic doctrine as "a Happy Hooligan band of statesmanship which brings disaster upon everybody concerned."

Mr. Williams, Democrat, of Mississippi, challenged a statement by Mr. Olmsted that wages were never higher than now. He said the Republicans were so insistent on the protective policy that they want to give things to people who do not want them.

Mr. Payne referred to the criticisms of the committee assignments made by Mr. DeArmond. He reviewed the record to show that the Speaker had not departed from precedents.

Messrs. Russell, Democrat, of Tennessee, and Hepburn, Republican, of Iowa, and Martin, South Dakota, discussed the tariff.

ROOSEVELT AND HANNA.

A Conference that Aroused Keenest Interest Among Senators and Representatives in Congress.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Senator Hanna's conference with the President last night aroused the keenest interest among senators and representatives in Congress and among politicians generally.

It can be said that at last night's conference only incidental reference was made to matters of concern to the Republican national committee. As to Perry S. Heath's connection with the national committee as secretary, it is understood that the President does not care to assume a position. Mr. Heath is an officer of the committee and the President thinks the committee amply qualified to take care of its own affairs without suggestion from him. It is understood definitely that Mr. Heath, in any event, will not be a candidate again for secretary of the committee.

Senator Hanna to-day authorized the Associated Press to state that the President and himself "discussed a number of things, legislative and political. While they differ on the subject of the confirmation of General Wood there is no misunderstanding between them and nothing indicating a break in their relations, such as has been reported."

CONSPIRACY AT PANAMA.

Alleged Plot Against the Life of the Commander-in-Chief.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

COLON, Dec. 5.—Through a letter the Panama government has discovered what is alleged to have been a plot against the life of General Huertas, commander in-chief of the forces of the republic of Panama, and an effort on the part of a few army officers to persuade the garrison at Panama to revolt. If such a plot really existed, it was promptly nipped in the bud by the apprehension to-day at Panama of four alleged conspirators who were immediately brought under guard to Colon and shipped thence to Port Limon, Costa Rica. The prisoners were members of the Colombian battalion which gave its support to the new government when the republic was formed and which was commanded by General Huertas. They declare that the charge that they were engaged in a conspiracy is the work of personal enemiries.

WARM WIRELETS

The commandant of the Norfolk navy yard has been directed to place the supply ship Glacier in commission on the 15th instant, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Tonie Byrd was fatally shot by his brother, Javan Byrd, while hunting squirrels near Whaleyville, Va., yesterday. The affair was an accident.

The Austrian cotton manufacturers are seriously affected by the advance in the American cotton market A majority of the manufacturers were entirely unprepared for the rise, carrying very small stocks, and consequently they will be obliged to restrict their output to the lowest possible amount. Some factories are expected to shut down temporarily.

SCHUBERT HALL RECITAL.

Pupils Gave Delightful Musical Fete Yesterday Afternoon—Programme

Following was the programme delightfully rendered at the Schubert Hall piano recital yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock:

A Mon Etoile.....Bohm.
Miss Virginia Powers,
(Pupil of Miss Carrie May VonGlahn.)
Melody of Love.....Engelmar.
Miss Duralde Borden,
(Pupil of Mrs. M. L. Chasten.)
Bicycle Waltz.....Geeble.
Master Bernard Silverman,
(Pupil of Mrs. Marcella S Solomon.)
En Courant.....Godard.
Miss Sue Boon,
(Pupil of Miss Cannie Chasten.)

COTTON MILL MEN TO MEET TUESDAY

To Cosider Advisability of Curtailing Production Because of Price of Cotton.

SAY SITUATION IS CRITICAL.

Twenty Per Cent. of Southern Mills Having Sufficient to Run Them Until Next Summer Will Not Curtail. Northern Men Anxious.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 5.—The indications are that Tuesday's meeting of cotton men to consider the advisability of curtailing production, will be largely attended, the rise in the price of cotton during the past few days probably causing the attendance to be larger than it would have been otherwise. In addition to mill men from all over the South, it is expected that manufacturers and commission men from the North and East will be present. The movement looking to a curtailing of the production of the Southern mills is being watched with a great deal of interest by New England manufacturers and it is expected that any agreement for curtailing that may be entered into at the meeting here next Tuesday will include quite a number of Northern mills.

It is expected that the cloth mills will be more largely represented than the yarn mills, since the latter as a rule, it is said, are in better condition than the former.

It is estimated that about 20 per cent of the Southern mills have a sufficient amount of cotton bought to run them until next summer and it is not expected that any of these mills will agree to curtail their production. Neither are the mills which have contracts to fill in a position to curtail or shut down.

A gentleman who is connected with one of the largest cloth mills in the South said to-day:

"The situation is critical, view it any way you may. Taken as a whole, I believe the condition confronting us to-day is the worst in twenty-five years. The only remedy I see is a general curtailment, the chief benefit from that being that the mills could run at a smaller loss. What makes it worse for the South is that the mills in every other part of the cotton manufacturing world are better off, so far as supplies of raw material are concerned, than we are. Early in the season, when we were holding off for lower prices, the continental spinners came into the market and purchased their cotton, and to-day, no matter where the price of cotton cloth may go, they can manufacture cotton at a cost from two to three cents a pound less than we can. Inasmuch as not more than a third of the American cotton crop is consumed in this country, we are in no position whatever to control the market, especially the export goods. As I see it, the only hope for us now is to curtail production and run our plants at a reduced cost."

FALL RIVER, MASS., Dec. 5.—Cotton manufacturers here have received circulars from manufacturers in North Carolina, inviting them to attend a meeting to be held in Charlotte, N. C., next Tuesday, to consider some plan for a united curtailment to meet the cotton crop conditions. Two of the local mill owners have gone to North Carolina in an unofficial capacity, but it is said here if they report any strength in the movement in the South, it is possible that an effort will be made to bring about favorable action on a curtailment proposition.

Christmas Goods arriving at A. D. Brown's.

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Considering the list of presents and toys we carry, we would like to impress the people with the fact that we carry something to please all. Mothers making out their list of holiday gifts would do well to remember that Santa Claus makes his headquarters with us. We have been working hard this week to make room in our big store to show our goods. We have succeeded and now we have them on exhibition. As to the line of dolls we carry, we feel sure we will save you money and give you a chance to select from the largest stock in the city. To describe our dolls we have not the room, but will say that we can please even the most fastidious. Our prices for handsome dolls are from 50c. up to $6 each. Our $1, $1.50, and $2 dolls are hand made and of the very best work. We also have a very large line for the wholesale trade as well as the retail trade in the cheap line. Strong numbers from 10c up, and our 25c dolls are extra values. Our 50c line is the very best we have ever had. We have about 200 dolls on hand that were left from last year which we will sell at just half price—a 50c doll for 25c, a 25c doll for 13c, a 10c doll for 5c. In toys we have every class of goods—children's go-carts from 25c to $2 98 and carriages from 25c to $8, wagons from 10c up to $4.50, velocipedes from $1.50 to $8.50.

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In this line of goods we have just received 150 new novels, all cloth bound and splendid print; all representing standard works. We will sell on Monday our 25c books for 9c each, only one to a customer. In toy books, Christmas cards and ca endars, we are haddling Raphael Tuck's line known the world over as the best there is in it. We sell children's books from 5c to $1.25. Christmas cards from 1c up to 25c; calendars from 5c up to 75c each. Our books are all on display and we will be glad to have you look them over. We have a full supply of horses, mechanical toys, guns and toys of all kinds for the boys.

Fireworks.

In this line of goods we will be glad to sell you for Christmas display, and will give you special prices on quantities. If you are thinking of buying fireworks of any kind, we will like to say that we will have lots of them to sell, and we will sell them cheap.

Ladies' Cloaks.

We are expecting in Monday a big shipment of new cloaks. Our trade in this department has been phenomenal, never half so good before. We have lots of them on hand now that we are selling from $2 75 up to $12.50 each. Our $4, $5, $6 and $7 cloaks are new and stylish and the prices are right. If you give them a look you will be sure to buy. In our line of Military Cloaks we have had to make three additional orders by express this week. They seem to be what the ladies want, as they can easily recognize the style and value The prices are from $7.50, $9, $10 and $12.50 each.

Children's Cloaks.

We are selling lots of children's Cloaks. In buying this Fall we were very liberal and bought a great many and we must sell them, and for the next three weeks we will make special prices and offer a rebate of 10 per cent. on children's and infant's small and long Cloaks; ages from one to five years old.

Furs.

For a Christmas present there is hardly anything nicer than a Fur Collarette and they are sure to please the ladies. We have them at all prices, from $1 to $15 each. Our $2 50 to $5 Furs are beauties and ladies always appreciate a good Fur. We have a great many to show and can suit you as to price and quality.

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